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## SATURDAY'S PRIMARY ELECTION ONE-SIDED AFFAIR.

The Democrats of Kentucky rolled up a large majority at the polls Saturday for United States Senator Ollie James and the people of this Congressional district did the same thing for Congressman J. Campbell Cantrill. Regardless of the fact that Senator James had only nominal opposition and spurred on only by a desire to send him a message of good cheer to the sick room at Baltimore, the Democrats did their duty, but at that the vote was a comparatively light one in many localities.

The returns indicate that William Preston Kimball, who was on the ballot, as an opponent of Senator James, received only a small scattering vote, and even in Fayette county, the home of Mr. Kimball, Senator James received an overwhelming majority.

Indications point to Dr. Ben Bruner, of Louisville, as having a slight lead over Judge B. J. Bethurum, of Somerset, for the Republican nomination for United States Senator. The counties heard from are scattering and represent every district in the State. The Republican vote fell far short of that cast in the Democratic race for Senator.

The vote in this county was very light, a total of only about 450 votes being cast. The farmers were busy with their crops, and nobody seemed to care very much about it, anyway. In one precinct in the county there was not a single vote cast, the election officers failing to show up, and the voting booth remained closed all day.

## SOME SEASONABLE SUMMER SUGGESTIONS—SWINGS, SEPARATORS, ETC.

Special Prices on Cream Separators, Lawn and Porch Swings, Hammocks, Ice Cream Freezers and Refrigerators. Come in before the stock is exhausted. They will be higher next summer.

(2-2t) FARMERS' SUPPLY CO.

## MUST PAY CASH FOR ALL TELEGRAPH MESSAGES.

Running accounts and special favors will hereafter be discontinued by the telegraph offices, according to Governmental instructions received by managers of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph Co. offices in this city. Messages must be paid for when sent and cash must be paid upon presentation of each telegram.

It is hoped that the public will make the necessary changes to suit this condition, and that later changes can be made by which telegrams can be sent without the deposit of the cash payment. Until this can be accomplished it is hoped that the public will consider this as a patriotic move. All receipts from telegrams and cables and cables transmitted hereafter and received from leased wire rentals, pole attachments, special service, etc., will belong to the Government. Such receipts will be deposited in the bank by the manager and used to pay the expenses. The balance will be remitted, but will be a special remittance, and will be marked "Government."

## FARM FOR RENT.

See advertisement in another column of the farm for rent belonging to W. E. Hibler. The place contains 556 acres and is located near Ewalt's Cross Roads. If interested, address Mr. W. E. Hibler, 312 E. High St., Lexington, Ky. (6-1t)

## RAPIER'S MEAL THE BEST FEED.

No use to worry about the best feed for your hogs. Rapiers Pig Meal is acknowledged the best. Ask W. C. Dodson about it. (2-2t)

## AUGUST COURT DAY.

There was a fairly good crowd in the city yesterday, despite the sweltering heat and the pressure of necessary work on the farms. Most of the farmers were too busy to leave their work, and those who did come in, transacted their business and returned to their homes early in the afternoon. It was a very "light Court day."

There was not much stock on the market, and trading in all lines was rather dull. Merchants reported a fair volume of business, and collections fair in proportion. The war occupied the center of the stage, with the high cost of living playing a close second.

## LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE CHANGES.

Mr. L. M. Westerfield, train dispatcher at the L. & N. office in Paris, has been promoted to the position of Rule Examiner for the Cincinnati terminals of the Kentucky and Eastern Kentucky divisions. He will have headquarters in Covington. Mr. Thos. A. McDonald, Messrs. F. Jaynes Savage and Paul J. O'Connell advancing in the order named to fill vacancies caused by these promotions.

## PARIS "MISFITS" HEADED WEST, SEND BULLETINS.

A series of post card bulletins has been coming to THE NEWS from the six Bourbon county boys who left Paris on the afternoon of Monday, July 29, for Vancouver Barracks, Washington, where they will enter the Government service. The boys, Ireland "Bit" Davis, Wm. Mitchell, (Captain), Jackie Saloshin, Fred Burgin, Fred Miller and Pearce Beatty, found something very interesting all along the line of their route Westward, to enchain their attention. Their messages were brief, but very expressive, and, as they trailed the continent they sped from place to place cards of greeting to "the folks back home." The bulletins followed in the following forms and in order:

"Chicago, Ill.

"Six 'misfits' representing various branches of life, arrived here to-day en route to the Golden West. We have been given the liberty of Chicago, and the whole town turned out to greet us. Leave-to-morrow in a Pullman special for the tall and uncut timber of the Vancouver region, on the Salmon River, in the State of Washington. Good-bye, for a while. "BIT DAVIS."

"Clinton, Iowa.

"About twelve cars of 'misfits' left Chicago this a. m. headed West. Some troop train and really good meals we are getting. S. F. S. G.—meaning So Far So Good. Tell Pearce Paton we still have the Holladay's candy, and that Capt. Mitchell is some chauffeur. Regards to all, from the six jolly 'misfits.' We are wondering who will run the dances in Paris now.

"BIT DAVIS."

"Marshalltown, Iowa.

"We are now at Marshalltown, Iowa, and still going West. Some trip, yes. All of us are in Pullmans, and no joking, either. 'Bit' Davis has fallen in love with all the girls from Paris to this place, and still remains unsatisfied. The rest of us seem to be immune. Can expect another card just any time.

"CAPT. MITCHELL."

"Cheyenne, Wyoming."

"Just saw a sign, reading: '451 miles to Omaha, Nebraska.' Now you know we are getting away from home, but you all can keep the home fires burning.' All six of us are well and having a fine hot and dirty time. Give our regards to all. We're a long, long way from home, and we can't get back.

"BIT DAVIS."

"Omaha, Neb.

"Passed Omaha about 1:30 this a. m. It seems to be a great deal dryer than Lexington, Ky., is at present. We are still headed West, growing fat and saucy. We drill under Capt. Mitchell up and down the aisles of the Pullman, and out on the platforms. Still further and further Westward.

"THE SIX MISFITS."

"Platte City, Nebraska."

"We are now stopping at Buffalo Bill's home town. We are still well and doing well. Sorry Buffalo Bill wasn't able to be here to greet us. American Red Cross Canteen service here saw to comfort of all the boys. Fred Miller feeling so cheery wants to arrange gun fight with lot of Indians at station. Jackie Saloshin has gained one pound in weight. Come to see us at Vancouver.

"FRED BURGIN."

"Ogden, Utah.

"Threatens to be a stampede when this bunch gets into Mormon territory. Hard work restraining Fred Miller and Bit Davis from leaving the train and embracing the Mormon religion, (or the girls, I don't know which.) Still going West, and further away from Kentucky. Feel like cowboys now. Fred Burgin bought an entire outfit, gun and all. Has the new mill dam been built yet?"

"JACKIE SALOSHIN."

"Salt Lake City, Utah.

"Say, this is some place. Wish I had known Brigham Young and some of his daughters. The boys have been having wonderful time. The West is wonderful country. Have the terminals been moved yet?"

"PEARCE BEATTY."

**HAIL INSURANCE.**  
Insure your tobacco against hail. I represent reliable, prompt paying companies.  
**ROXIE DAVIS.**  
(June 4-tf)

## MASTER'S SALE.

Auctioneer M. F. Kenney sold yesterday at the court house door for Master Commissioner O. T. Hinton, the C. F. Daniel property, on South Main street, formerly occupied by T. F. Brannon, to W. P. Fisher, for \$4,900.

## HELD TO GRAND JURY.

In the County Court Saturday afternoon Judge George Batten held Sam Sherman, colored in \$250 bond to appear before the grand jury at the next term of the Bourbon Circuit Court.

Sherman is alleged to have appropriated a check signed by Mr. Jos. M. Hall, also various and sundry other articles belonging to Mr. Hall, and appropriating same to his own use. The check was cashed at a local grocery, and by them sent to their bank in the regular course of business. The check was returned to the groceryman, marked, "Stolen property." Sherman was placed under arrest, and a search of his person revealed the larger part of the money in his pocket. The groceryman made restitution of what was taken from Sherman, but is out six dollars on the deal.

Sherman was employed by Mr. Hall and picked up the check after Mr. Hall had given it to another man. Shortly after an argument over his own pay Sherman struck Mr. Hall a violent blow in the face. After his arrest by Chief of Police Link his trunk was searched and over \$100 worth of valuables belonging to Mr. Hall was found.

Sherman served a term in the Frankfort Reformatory about twenty years ago, and upon his release, went East, returning to Paris a short time ago.

## TO THE PATRONS OF THE PARIS GAS & ELECTRIC CO.

We have filed an Injunction suit in equity against the City and its officials to prevent the interference with our customers or the enforcement of the ordinances recently passed until their validity can be tested by the Courts and have given bond for the return to the customers of the amount collected in excess of the rate called for in the ordinances. As this bond protects you fully, kindly call at our office as usual and settle your bills.

**PARIS GAS & ELECTRIC CO. (Incorporated.)**

## HOT WEATHER BARGAINS.

Men's \$14.00 Palm Beach Suits reduced to \$8.75.

(6-1t) TWIN BROTHERS' Department Store.

Kerensky has decided not to come to the United States. A poor time to try to break into vaudeville.

## TO TALK OF OVERSEAS WORK AT THE Y. M. C. A. TO-DAY.

All persons who are interested in the work of the Y. M. C. A. overseas for the soldiers of America and the Allies are asked to attend the meeting to be held at the Bourbon County Y. M. C. A. building to-day, Tuesday, August 6. Secretary Hunt, of the Army Y. M. C. A. at Camp Zachary Taylor, will be in attendance, and will be glad to give any information that will be of benefit to those interested in the work.

The Y. M. C. A. needs a large number of recreational secretaries, truck drivers, and business men with large experience, for canteen work behind the lines in France. Bourbon county will be asked to furnish some of these. Call at the Y. M. C. A. and confer with Secretary Hunt or with Secretary Wilcox.

## AUTOS FOR SALE.

New Brisco and Page Automobile and one second-hand Chevrolet in good order. Apply at Oakland Garage, corner Fourth and High streets. (2-tf) F. P. WHITE.

## STOLEN CAR RECOVERED.

The vigilance of the Lexington and Paris police exerted in an effort to apprehend the man who recently stole Dr. Charles G. Daugherty's automobile, has so far not been rewarded. The machine, which had been left standing in front of Dr. Daugherty's residence on Pleasant street a few nights ago, disappeared and was not heard of until Friday night, when the Lexington police department notified the Paris police that it had been located there on a side street, abandoned by the thief or thieves. Dr. Daugherty seemed so well satisfied to have the car back in his possession again that he has not given much thought to the matter of solving the mystery of who purloined it.

## COLUMBIA OIL & GAS CO. BRINGS IN NEW WELLS.

The Columbia Oil & Gas Co. drilled its No. 3 well on the E. S. Moore farm in Lee county, Saturday. The well rose 700 feet in the hole in a short time after reaching the pay sand. The drillers estimated the well at seventy-five barrels. The Columbia's No. 6 on the same farm was in the pay sand Saturday, and expected completed yesterday. They expect this well to be seventy-five barrels also, as the sand and oil indications are the same as No. 3. They will start No. 7 at once.

## — WE KNOW NOW —

## Palm Beach and Kool Kloth Suits

### For Summer Wear, the Real, Genuine Palm Beach Cloth

The kind that is cool and serviceable and comfortable, not the cotton shoddy kind that draws up and wears out before the season is over. We sell only one kind, and that is the best. All colors, solid and fancy mixtures.

**\$13.50 to \$20.00**

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A light summer cloth with a little more weight than Palm Beach garments, but very serviceable and comfortable.

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Many fancy and stylish patterns, solid colors and fancy stripes.

### Straw Hats and Panamas

## MITCHELL & BLAKEMORE

Nettleton Shoes  
Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Shoes

## IN THE SERVICE OF THEIR COUNTRY.

Messages have been received at Clintonville by the family of Mr. Brown Buchanan, stating that he had arrived safely overseas with the Dr. Barrow Base Hospital Unit No. 40.

Private Cleveland Lewis, of Paris, is convalescent at the Base Hospital, in Camp Zachary Taylor, where he is a member of the Bourbon county draft contingent. Private Lewis has been seriously ill for some time.

Mrs. Allie Dickson, of North Middletown, is at the Naval Training Station, at Newport, Rhode Island, visiting her son, Stanley Dickerson, who is in the service of Uncle Sam at the camp. Mr. Dickson was one of the number who left Paris in the first contingent of drafted men several months ago.

Lieut. Neville H. Fisher, formerly of Paris, who was recently sent overseas from the army cantonment, Camp Custer, near Detroit, Mich., writes his mother, Mrs. Wm. H. Fisher, of Paris, that he made the journey safely and without incident. The ship he sailed on carried several thousand troops, everyone eager and anxious to get into action after months of camp life.

Dr. James A. Orr, who recently left Paris to report at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., for duty, reports that he is very comfortably installed as a member of the Medical Corps in the Surgical Division, and likes the life very much. There is plenty of hard work, he says, and he is rapidly getting into the swing of camp life. He says the Bourbon county boys at the Fort are the liveliest bunch in the whole cantonment.

Mr. Blair Varden, of Paris, who is taking the vocational training course at Rose Polytechnic Institute, in Terre Haute, Ind., spent Sunday in Paris, as a guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. George S. Varden, and family. The Institute is being utilized by the Government as a training school for special service in the United States army. Mr. Varden is well pleased with his surroundings, and says Uncle Sam is the best provider ever.

"From Ft. Thomas, Ky., to Camp Sherman, O.," read the order of transfer for Dr. Avonia E. Kiser, of Paris. Mr. Kiser was recently commissioned First Lieutenant in the Medical Reserve Corps. He has been assigned to a place on the Neuro-psychiatric Board of the Base Hospital at Camp Sherman. Lieut. Kiser is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kiser, of Paris. He has been for some time resident physician at the Longview Hospital, near Cincinnati.

Government moves of troops on the big checkerboard of the war service continue throughout the day and night. Trains bearing troops are of frequent occurrence passing through Paris via the Louisville and Nashville, their destination being some Southern or Eastern cantonment. Friday a train of twelve Pullmans passed here, headed for Camp Perry, Ohio. The train carried three hundred prospective officers for the Officers Training service at Camp Perry.

Mr. Landen Templin, of Paris, stationed in the service at Camp Dewey, Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is at home on a five-days' furlough, to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Templin. Mr. Templin likes the service immensely and says Uncle Sam is the best provider in the world. Quite recently Mr. Templin participated in a naval review in which over 30,000 "jacksies" took part. He also took part in the formation of a living U. S. flag in which 12,000 sailors made up the Stars and Stripes.

Dr. J. S. Dailey, of Jackson, Ky., a nephew of Dr. M. H. Dailey, of this city, has been commissioned a First Lieutenant in the Dental Corps, and is awaiting orders to be sent overseas for duty in the American Expeditionary Force. Lieut. Dailey is at present stationed at Camp Pike, in Arkansas. He is a graduate of Caldwell High School, at Richmond, and a graduate of the Louisville College of Dentistry. Dr. Dailey is a fine young man, and is very anxious to get into active service.

"Paris and Bourbon county boys are having a strenuous time at Ft. Benj. Harrison," says a Paris man just returned from there. "I saw Jack Turney with a bunch of rookies around him, and I want to tell you that he is certainly some fun-producer. Jack says he has learned how to wear his army shoes comfortably. The other boys from this section are as busy as flies around a sugar barrel. They are working hard. Rifle

## ELECTRIC LIGHT CO. BRINGS INJUNCTION SUIT AGAINST CITY.

An injunction suit was filed in the office of Circuit Clerk W. H. Webb, Friday, by the Paris Gas & Electric Co., seeking to restrain the Mayor of Paris, E. B. January, and the members of the Paris City Council from interfering with the company in collecting gas and electric light bills according to their scale of prices. The public is pretty well acquainted by this time with the details of the controversy between the City Council and the Paris Gas & Electric Co.

Consulting Engineer W. H. Weiss, who had been employed by the City of Paris in that capacity, recently drew up a new scale of prices, which was given publicity, together with a notice to the consumers to offer payment according to that scale. It further advised that if the Electric Light Co. refused to accept it they should bring their bills to the Mayor's office, where they would be tabulated. Another notice appeared at a later date in another Paris paper, sanctioned by the Paris Gas & Electric Co., advising the consumers to ignore the advice of the city, but to settle their accounts according to the old scale which had been in effect for some time by the company. Soon after this came the filing of the injunction suit against the Mayor and the members of the City Council.

## BATHING SUITS

Bathing Suits from 75c up.  
TWIN BROTHERS' Department Store.  
(6-1t)

## HAIL INSURANCE.

Insure your tobacco against hail with Thomas, Woodford & Bryan. Prompt paying companies.

(June 25-tf)

## BOYS' SWIMMING TOURNAMENT.

Don't miss the Boy Scout Swimming Tournament at the Y. M. C. A. next Thursday night at 8:15. There will be lots of trick diving and all sorts of stunts. Ladies and gentlemen are invited. Admission will be free.

practice is given they every day. They are all well and happy. This is their message sent back home by me."

Mr. Albert Wachter will return to West Point this morning after a short furlough to his aunt, Mrs. S. M. Turpin. Mr. Wachter is the official saddler for his regiment.

The Bourbon County Board of Exemption has received a call for twenty white draftees to enroll at Paris to-morrow afternoon, for Fort Thomas, to enter the service of the United States. They will be escorted to the L. & N. station by the Liberty Drum and Bugle Corps.

Transfers of Bourbon county boys from Ft. Thomas to other cantonments have been made recently as follows: Edwin A. Woods, to Camp Shelby, at Hattiesburg, Miss.; Thos. Elder and John Hennessey to Ft. Benj. Harrison, Indiana.

Mr. James Templin, who was recently examined and accepted for service in the navy will leave on August 11 for the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Mr. Templin will enter the Public Service Construction branch of the service. Mr. Leo Keller, of the L. & N. will leave on August 9 for the same camp, where he will enter the service as an apprentice seaman.

Mr. John Ardery, of Paris, had a close call at the Elwood Arsenal, near Edgewood, Maryland, about three weeks ago. Mr. Ardery is employed in the chemical department of the plant, making poisonous gases for the use of the American "gas-bombers" overseas. In some way one of the big tubes containing a large quantity of the gases exploded, "gassing" Mr. Ardery. He was laid up in the hospital for two weeks as a result of the accident, but is now convalescent.

Bourbon county is expected to recruit thirty-two unskilled laborers in the labor campaign which will start in Kentucky in the near future, according to an announcement received here yesterday from Dr. Frank L. McVey, State Director of the United States Public Service Reserve. The State has been divided into districts for convenience in pushing the campaign. In this district the headquarters will be in Paris, being composed of Bourbon and Harrison counties. The total quota will be thirty-two from Bourbon and thirty from Harrison. Other districts have been designated as follows: Fleming and Nicholas; Fayette, Scott, Mercer, Jessamine, Woodford; Clark, Montgomery, Bath Menifee.



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This paper has enlisted with the government in the cause of America for the period of the war

## EDITORIAL MUSINGS.

### Would Prove Injurious.

The Retail Trade Board of the Boston Chamber of Commerce questioned the wisdom of the proposal of the Council of National Defense to conduct a propaganda to discourage the giving of merchandise as Christmas presents.

Several weeks ago the Council of National Defense suggested, that as a war economy measure, a campaign be conducted against the usual Christmas custom of giving presents. The proposal met with strong protest in all parts of the country, and the merchants are hopeful that the proposal will be abandoned.

In a letter addressed to the Council of National Defense the Retail Trade Board points out that during the past few years Christmas giving has been confined almost entirely to practical and useful things. The stores rarely, if ever, carry any merchandise that is not carried throughout the year. This year, due to the curtailing of production of luxuries and non-essentials, there is every reason to believe that Christmas giving will be confined more closely than ever before to useful merchandise. Under those conditions the merchants of Boston feel that any measure to discourage Christmas giving will not bring results sufficient to compensate the loss of business, and that the effect upon the morale of the people of such a radical change of custom would be injurious.

### A Mighty Change of Opinion.

Six years ago last January, Frank E. Hitchcock, Postmaster General in the Cabinet of President Taft, recommended national ownership of all telegraph lines, the New York World Weekly. He was promptly repudiated by his superiors and his party, and for a time it was thought that he might be forced to resign his position. His successor in office, Albert S. Burleson, advocated the same policy for five years, meeting nothing but fierce opposition.

Now under the stress of war we find a recommendation by Mr. Burleson, supported by the President, that the government take over the telegraphs and telephones accepted almost everywhere by the people as logical and necessary.

The American people are pledged to win the war at any cost. As they are sacrificing life and treasure to that end, so will they surrender, if need be, many theories and traditions to which they have tightly held. Whether the great denunciation in these matters is to be permanent or only temporary, like our vast armaments and almost incredible expenditures, must be left to time and experience.

### Good Fellows.

If this war does nothing else, we think it will cause everyone to scan the different candidates for public office a whole lot closer than we have in the past.

Simply because some crooked political machine happens to be strongly entrenched in the particular town or city we live in, we have often said,

"Oh, what's the use?" That phrase has been used so much that gang politicians trade on it and from their reports they received from their workers could figure, and much closer than we would ever imagine on a percentage basis as to who would come out to vote and who wouldn't. Then again, when we would go to vote, somebody who knew us would ask, "Do you mind giving Mr. Jones a vote; he's a neighbor of ours and he's a good fellow?" And Jones, being a neighbor and a good fellow, we give him a vote.

Mr. Jones' goodness is confined to the way he serves the gang who nominated him, not the community whom he is supposed to represent.

Here is the result. We have our taxes or rent raised, due to improvements costing anywhere from 50 to 200 per cent. above cost and the politicians have shooting lodges just because Mr. Jones is a neighbor of ours and a good fellow.

Good fellow, the dickens! We are the good fellows.

### A Baseball Fan's War Dope.

An enthusiastic baseball patron, en route to France, wrote to a friend just before his departure:

"Well, I have signed up to play with the Sammys of the Allied League. We are booked for a series of games with the Huns of the Assassination League on their home grounds. I hear they play dirty baseball, and don't live up to the regulations—they use square bats and the emery ball, and some of the stuff they pull is pretty raw. They have a guy named Bill Satan and another bird called Hindenburg as managers, and are a bad lot.

"The series comes off at Berlin some time next fall, and we're going to win in a walk. Those birds won't even have a ball park left to play in. The Huns are using up their best pitchers now, and soon they won't have anything left but their gloves and they're doomed to the same fate of the Federal League, and you know what happened to it."

A pretty good line of dope, if anybody should ask you, though a high-brow war expert might phrase it more elegantly.

### FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS IN THREE-MILE ADVANCE

LONDON, Aug. 5.—The Franco-British attack on the western side of the Marne salient yesterday was on a front of five miles and penetrated to a maximum depth of three miles, according to news received to-day. It resulted in the capture of the entire ridge which forms the watershed between the Ourcq and the Aisne, the advances indicate.

The situation is considered as extraordinarily good, being described in the advices as the turning point of the summer campaign and possibly of the whole war.

The French also captured the entire Neuniere wood, on the line to the west of Goussancourt, at about the center of the salient.

The advance by the Allies along the western side of the salient is described as extremely important—possibly the most important thing the Allies have accomplished since the Germans retired from the Marne. The importance of the victory, it is explained, lies in the fact that the new Allied positions commanded the whole area to the northward and take in flank and rear, the entire western gate through which the Germans have been retreating. This area is a nest of German reserves and field artillery.

Goussancourt itself has been taken by the French, the advices add.

The capture of the important ground on the heights to the western side of the line, also means that the Germans will not be able to retire in an ordinary leisurely way, and that they probably will have to go beyond the River Vesle in their retreat.

### SAVING AND SAVING AND LENDING.

Sir William Goode, of the British Food Ministry, says that from July, 1917, to April, 1918, the United States exported to the allies 80,000,000 bushels of wheat products. Of this it is asserted that 50,000,000 bushels represented voluntary sacrifices by the American people in their consumption of wheat.

There is a triple economy, a triple aspect to this saving of wheat. It saved wheat for our army and the armies of our allies; it saved money to the American people, and for the most part this money went for the purchase of Government war securities.

There is another saving still; this sort of sacrifice and economy is helping win the war—with the resultant saving of soldiers' lives.

### MAY CUT DOWN READING

Restrictions on the reading matter space in daily and Sunday editions of newspapers, a retail price of two cents or more and the elimination of all waste were recommended to the War Industries Board by the committee on conservation of news print paper, by the American Newspaper Association. The recommendations were taken under advisement by board officials.

If the Bolsheviks are so crazy for peace, why don't they try a little of it at home?

## UNIQUE ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN BY CHURCH SOCIETIES

According to an annual custom, the members of the Young People's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church entertained the members of the Adult Society, Friday afternoon.

The meeting was on the lawn at the home of Mrs. Henry A. Power, and was largely attended.

After all had assembled the guests were seated in groups of six from the Women's Auxiliary and one member from the Girls' Society.

After brief opening exercises, Miss Vella Mastin, president, announced that the program would consist of progressive short talks given by the girls, each one to entertain her group with a missionary topic until a bell was tapped, when each group would move forward.

This proved to be a most delightful idea, as the little talks were given in a charming manner, and included information and interesting bits of history regarding the missionary work that has been accomplished in foreign fields—China, Japan and Korea, and also on the Mexican border.

The young women who thus entertained their elders were: Misses Sara Power, Frances Hancock, Elizabeth Snapp, Maude Taylor, Edna Snapp and Mrs. Elizabeth Mann Carr.

After the conclusion of this feature of the entertainment, Miss Sara Power recited a verse about a "Blackbird Pie," which seemed somewhat irrelevant until she announced that as one of their members, Miss Frances Hancock, has signified her intention of enlisting in missionary work, a "pie" had been prepared for her.

It was brought out by Miss Edna Snapp and Miss Miriam Galloway, and appeared to be a triumph of culinary skill, surmounted by more than the proverbial "four-and-twenty blackbirds," each with an appropriate sentiment written on his back.

"When the pie was opened" by Miss Hancock, it was found to be indeed a "dainty dish," as it contained a large number of beautiful gifts prepared by loving hands for the use of their companion who has endeavored herself to a large circle of friends by her charming sincerity, her pleasing manner and deep consecration. She is a devoted member of the church, the Sunday School, the Epworth League and the Missionary Society, and will be greatly missed in all of these activities when she leaves soon to begin her training at the Scarret Bible School in Kansas City.

The prayers and best wishes of her friends will follow this dear girl wherever she goes.

Mrs. Power and daughter served dainty refreshments and the occasion will long be remembered.

### SIX NEW ARMY DIVISIONS ARE FORMED.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 5.—Gen. March announced the formation in the United States of six more divisions, numbered from 15 to 20, and to be located at Camps Logan, Tex.; Kearney, Cal.; Beauregard, La.; Travis, Tex.; Dodge, Iowa, and Sevier, S. C. As in the case of the six divisions announced last week, these will be built around two regular infantry regiments in each case.

Gen. March announced also the conversion of fifteen National Army cavalry regiments, numbered from 301 to 315, into field artillery. These will comprise part of the artillery units for the new divisions.

The Chief of Staff said that in carrying out the new policy of "one army" the War Department intends to put the letters "U. S." heretofore reserved for the Regulars, on the collar of every man serving in the military forces of the United States.

The redesignations of "N. G." for National Guard, and "N. A." for National Army, will be abandoned. In the same connection Gen. March announced that the twelve Major Generals and the thirty-six Brigadiers necessary for the new divisions will be selected from all elements of the service.

This statement was taken to mean that both National Guard and National Army officers hereafter will be eligible for promotion to the rank of general officers, even in the Regular Army divisions.

In response to a question Gen. March said that where a division commander was selected to be a temporary corps commander, the command of his division passed to the senior Brigadier. He had no information as to the location at present of the 89th National Army division.

### COLORED SCHOOLS GAIN IN BUILDING PROGRAM

FRANKFORT, KY., Aug. 5.—Probably forty one-room and ten two-room teacher colored schools will be built in Kentucky this year by reason of State Supt. V. O. Gilbert's success in securing \$45,000 of the Rosenwald fund for building colored schools for the State.

This fund is administered by the Tuskegee Institute. For one-teacher rural schools the fund allows \$400 and for two-teacher schools \$500. The balance, \$200 to \$400, must be furnished by the county board or the community.

Many Kentucky counties are having difficulty in building schools for either white or colored children, and the situation is particularly bad with reference to accommodation for the colored pupils.

The buildings must be erected according to specifications stipulated by the fund under supervision of a resident representative. Supt. Gilbert has appointed E. M. Wood, of Paris, a leading colored educator, now Principal of the Paris Colored School, to supervise the building. Next year, perhaps, as many more schools will be built.

### THREE RUSSIAN GRAND DUKES ARE EXECUTED.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 5.—Three Russian grand dukes, one of whom is believed to have been Grand Duke Nicholas, former commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, have been executed by the Bolsheviks, according to dispatches to the Bayrische Landes Zeitung from Moscow.

## DO IT NOW

### Paris People Should Not Wait Until It Is Too Late

The appalling death-rate from kidney disease is due largely to the fact that the kidney troubles are usually neglected until they become serious. The slight symptoms often give place to chronic disorders and sufferers may slip gradually into some serious form of kidney complaint.

If you suffer from backache, headaches, dizzy spells; if the kidney secretions are irregular of passage and unnatural, do not delay. Help the kidneys at once.

Doan's Kidney Pills are especially for kidney disorders—they act where others fail. Over one hundred thousand people have recommended them. Here's a Paris case:

Mrs. Charles McCord, South Pleasant street, says: "Have used Doan's Kidney Pills at different times, getting them from Oberdorfer's Drug Store and I have found them a splendid medicine. Whenever my kidneys have acted irregularly or my back has been weak or lame, I have found a box or so of Doan's Kidney Pills has been sufficient to cure me of the attack."

Price 60c at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. McCord had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y. (adv)

### REPORT SHOWS AN IMMENSE AMOUNT TOBACCO ON HAND

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5.—About 220 million pounds more tobacco were on hand July 1 than was held on that date last year, a canvass by the Census bureau, just made, shows. Aggregate stocks of leaf tobacco amounted to 1,386,049,368 pounds, composed of 989,810,467 pounds of chewing, smoking, snuff and export types, 315,915,205 pounds of cigar types, and 80,323,696 pounds of imported types.

### THE BEST PLASTER.

A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the seat of pain is often more effectual for a lame back than a plaster and does not cost anything like as much.

(adv aug)

### DECLARES DIVIDEND.

The Kentucky Rural Credits Association, which failed at Lexington with a smash some time ago, has declared two dividends of five per cent. each, making ten per cent. for the creditors to date. The concern was a million-dollar corporation. A number of Bourbon county men were caught in the smash.

## FOOD EXPERT TO MEET STOCK BREEDERS IN LEXINGTON.

C. E. Yancy, of Missouri, recently appointed United States Meat Production expert by Herbert Hoover, will arrive in Lexington, August 17, to speak at a great mass meeting of 2,000 picked men from Kentucky, all of them experts in meat production.

The meeting is under the auspices of the Extension Division of the College of Agriculture of the University of Kentucky and elaborate plans are being made for the meeting on Aug. 17, and the entertainment of the food experts.

Mr. Yancy is one of the prominent cattle dealers of the country and an authority on all meat production. Business of great importance to all producers and consumers and buyers will be transacted at this meeting. The meeting will directly and indirectly affect all persons in Kentucky.

The price of hogs and cattle, according to grade and weight, will be fixed at this meeting.

Special invitations are being prepared to be sent to the guests at this meeting.

### CURE FOR DYSENTERY.

"While I was in Ashland, Kansas, a gentleman overheard me speaking of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes William Whitelaw, of Des Moines, Iowa. "He told me in detail of what it had done for his family, but more especially his daughter, who was lying at the point of death with a violent attack of dysentery, and had been given up by the family physician. Some of his neighbors advised him to give Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he did, and fully believes that by doing so saved the life of his child. He stated that he had also used this remedy himself with equally gratifying results."

(adv aug)

It is hard to convince a lazy man that the sunrise is a sight worth getting up to see.

### For Immediate Sale

My three frame cottages located on Pleasant street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets. These houses contain four rooms, hall, pantry, front and back porches, gas and electric lights. City water at door. Good cistern with each house.

MRS. E. C. KELLER,  
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## For Rent.

Nice Main street flat in second story. Has all modern improvements. Call on or address, MRS. MARIA LYONS, 918 Main St., Paris, Ky.

## For Rent.

Modern cottage of six rooms; bath; gas; electric lights; garage; next to Twelfth and High streets. DR. F. P. CAMPBELL, Paris, Ky. Cumberland Phone 142. (28-4t)

## Women Attendants Wanted.

Wanted, women attendants. Experience not necessary, but preferred. Apply at or address, The Cincinnati Sanitarium, College Hill Station, Cincinnati, Ohio. (8-4wks)

## IRON

We pay highest prices for iron junk, hides and wool. MUNICH & WIDES & CO., Eighth St., Paris, Ky., Cumb. Phone 374. (23-tf)

## Don't Neglect Your Eyes.

"Oh, mother, I see lights in the sky." And this child, after visiting an optometrist, saw the stars for the first time. His mother, though a strong woman, broke down and wept to think she had neglected the child so long. Father, mother, are you going to allow your child to be thus neglected, when an examination of their eyes will reveal his or her true condition? Over 50 per cent. of children have defective vision in some way. Better bring your child to us for a thorough, scientific examination. Will not advise glasses unless absolutely necessary. Open Saturday evenings until 9 o'clock.

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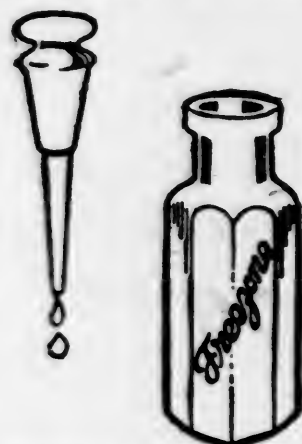
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## THIS BRINGS PLEASING NEWS TO HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS

Release of hotels, restaurants, clubs and dinner car service throughout the country on August 1 from the voluntary pledge to use no wheat until the present harvest, was announced in Washington in a cablegram from Food Administrator Hoover, who is now in England. Public eating places, the Food Administration said, will continue to comply with baking regulations and to serve "victory" bread.

Mr. Hoover in his cablegram congratulated the proprietors of public eating places upon their patriotic service, expressed appreciation of the substantial savings effected and voiced confidence that the spirit shown will enable the American people to build up a great food reserve against the exigencies of the future.

Though exact figures have not been compiled, it was estimated by the Food Administration that through voluntary pledge made by hotels, restaurants, clubs and dining cars there has been effected between October 1, 1917, and August 1, 1918, a saving of between 175,000,000 and 200,000,000 pounds of wheat and its products, 150,000,000 pounds of meat and 50,000,000 pounds of sugar. The action of the proprietors of public eating places, it was said, also has been of great educational value in carrying to the homes of the nation the necessity of food saving.

## CATARRHAL DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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(adv-aug)

## MICKIE SAYS

JERRY, SOMETIMES I WISH YOU WUZ A DOG SO'S I COULD SICK YOU ONTO THE FELLERS WHO COME IN, WHEN WE'RE JEST ABOUT READY TO GO TO PRESS, WITH A WHOLE WAD O' COPY THAT MAKES US LATE WITH THE PAPER AND RUNS US ALL RAGGED BESIDES



## THE AMERICAN'S CREED

"I believe in the United States of America as a Government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many sovereign States; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes. I therefore, believe it is my duty to my country to love it; to support its Constitution; to obey its laws; to respect its flag and to defend it against all enemies."

## LIVE STOCK INSPECTOR WARNS AGAINST VIOLATION OF LAW.

I am in receipt of a letter from Dr. S. F. Musselman, State Veterinarian, at Frankfort, in which he suggests that for the benefit of Bourbon farmers, I call attention through the newspapers to the law governing the disposal of carcasses of domestic animals. He directs attention to Section 8 of Laws Affecting the State Live Stock Sanitary Board and State County Stock Inspectors. The law referred to is as follows:

Section 8. That all carcasses of domestic animals, which have died or which have been destroyed on account of any disease, except those destroyed on account of tuberculosis and slaughtered under the supervision of the State Veterinarian or other representative of the Board, unless otherwise ordered by the Board, shall be disposed of as follows:

a. Complete cremation of the entire carcass and all of its parts and products.

9. Boiling carcass and all of its parts and products in water, or heating with steam at a temperature above boiling continuously for two (2) hours or more.

c. Burying carcass and all of its parts and products in the earth at a point which is never covered with the overflow of ponds or streams, and which is distant not less than one hundred (100) feet from any water-course, well, spring, public highway, residence or stable. Carcass shall be placed in an opening in the earth at least four (4) feet deep, abdominal and thoracic cavities opened and their entire length with a knife, or other sharp instrument, and the entire carcass covered with two (2) inches of quicklime and at least three (3) feet of earth.

Neglect or refusal on the part of the owner to dispose of carcass or carcasses, as above set forth, within forty-eight (48) hours after said carcass or carcasses are found, shall constitute a misdemeanor, and upon conviction said owner shall be fined not less than ten (\$10.00) dollars nor more than fifty (\$50.00) dollars for each offense.

Violators of the law incur a heavy penalty and it is the wisest plan to obey the law and avoid any trouble.

Respectfully,  
A. B. PLUMMER,  
Live Stock Inspector,  
Bourbon County, Ky.

## RED CROSS CHAPTER WANTS 500 TRENCH FOOT SLIPPERS

To the Women of Bourbon County: In our quota for September 1 in Red Cross work, is a request for 500 trench foot slippers (250 pairs).

These slippers should be made of velvet, velveteen, corduroy or heavy cloth. They are then lined with outing flannel.

It is impossible for us to buy the necessary material and we are asking the patriotic women of the county to send us any garments or pieces they have no use for, to be used in this way. An old pair of cloth trousers, or a coat, can be cut into several pairs, as the slippers can be pieced.

We published an appeal some days ago but the response was so small we have less than 50 slippers made.

Are we to fail in this as we have done in nothing else? We have been proud of our record up to this time. May it always remain untarnished.

If any friend desires to buy a remnant or piece of new material to send in, it requires two-thirds of a yard of 27 inch goods to make one pair.

Send all material to the Red Cross Rooms, at the Court House, in Paris. If it is more convenient for ladies out in the country materials may be sent to Mrs. Annabelle Wallace, or Mrs. D. C. Lisle, at Leesburg; Miss Florence Hopkins, at Little Rock; Mrs. Letcher Weathers, at Clintonville, and Mrs. John Collins, at North Middletown.

## FRENCH TROOPS CONTINUE CAPTURING IMPORTANT TOWNS

ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN FRANCE, Aug. 5.—The important town of Ville-en-Ardenois, on the easterly side of the Marne salient, has been encircled by the Allied forces.

(Ville-en-Ardenois is east of Fere-en-Ardenois, already in possession of the Allies and is one of the strongest points still held by the Germans in the Marne salient.)

The French are continuing to advance and have taken additional towns and villages at various parts of the front between Soissons and Rheims.

The enemy is resisting desperately, and losing in prisoners.

According to a Vienna physician insomnia can be cured if a person will grasp the head of his bed and pull backward until fatigue develops.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

## Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Aldrich, of Winchester, are guests of Mr. Wm. Stewart and family near Paris.

—Mrs. H. B. Courtney, guest of Mrs. Henry Fuhrman, has returned to her home in Ft. Myers, Fla.

—Mrs. Roxie Daniels, formerly a resident of Paris, now residing in Lexington, is a guest of Paris friends.

—Mr. James H. Thompson, Sr., has returned from Martinsville, Ind., where he has been taking treatment.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wheeler and children have returned from a visit to the latter's parents, in Somerset.

—Misses Helen and Mary Fithian Hutchcraft have returned from a visit to Mrs. J. C. Dedman, in Cynthiana.

—Miss Margaret Thompson has returned to her home in Winchester after a visit to Mrs. I. C. Haley, near Paris.

—Mrs. T. C. Embry, of Hendersonville, North Carolina, is a guest of her daughter Mrs. N. A. Moore, and Mr. Moore.

—Mrs. Thomas Allen and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. Wm. Howe and Mrs. E. W. Bramble, in Cynthiana.

—Mr. Thos. A. McDonald has returned from a visit to Capt. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor, near Taylorsville, in Spencer county.

—Mr. Robert McCray has returned from Harrodsburg, where he exhibited his prize-winning horses at the Mercer County Fair.

—Judge H. Clay Howard has returned from New York City, where he has been engaged several weeks on a business mission.

—Miss Jennie James has returned to her home on Fourth street, in this city, after a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. E. Barnett, in Lexington.

—Miss Nellie Cantrell, of Simpsonville, Shelby county, is a guest of her grandmother, Mrs. S. M. Evans, on Second street, in this city.

—Mrs. I. T. Helburn has returned to her home in Eminence after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Price, and Mr. Price, in this city.

—Mrs. Lytle Johnson and children have returned to their home in Georgetown, after a visit to Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. J. W. Jones.

—Mr. David Feld was called to Covington Friday by the death of his uncle, Mr. E. Effron. Mr. Effron was a prominent merchant of Covington.

—Misses Rebecca Claybrook, of Mayeville, and Anne Hickman, of Flemingsburg, will arrive to-day to be guests of Miss Elise Varden, on High street.

—Miss Fay McWhorter has returned to her home near this city, from Richmond, where she has been attending the summer session at the State Normal School.

—Mrs. John K. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Gleason, and Malcolm McGlasson, Jr., of Dayton, Ky., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Purnell, on Vine street.

—Mrs. Jennings Maupin and nephew, Mr. Jennings Maupin have returned to their homes in Richmond, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Warren S. Williams, in this city.

—Eld. Geo. Sehon, Superintendent of the Children's Home at Louisville, was a guest several days last week of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Redmon, near North Middletown.

—Miss Marie Collins has returned to her home at North Middletown, from Cincinnati, where she has been taking a special course of study at the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.

—Mrs. Richard Coghill, of Georgetown, who has been a guest of Mr. and J. W. James, on Fourth street, has gone to Lexington for a visit to Mrs. James' daughter, Mrs. J. E. Barnett.

—Miss Margaret Graham Davis has returned to her home in Springfield, Ky., after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hinton, on High street. Miss Davis is a daughter of Mr. Will Hinton Davis, formerly of Paris.

—Rev. W. O. Sadler, formerly pastor of the Paris Methodist church, was a guest of friends in this city several days last week. Rev. Sadler is now pastor of the Scott street Methodist church in Covington.

—Mr. A. H. Kelso, General Counsel, and Mr. J. W. Porter, vice-president, of the Missouri and Kentucky Utilities Company, were here last week conferring with officials of the Paris Gas & Electric Co., on business matters.

—Mr. and Mrs. Will G. McClintock have moved to their home on Pleasant street, which has been undergoing extensive remodeling for several weeks. Pending the completion of the work they have been guests at the Crosdale Hotel.

—At Winchester, Friday evening, Miss Elizabeth Tarr, of Paris, who is visiting friends there, was guest of honor at a delightful entertainment given by Miss Lucille Clark. The guests spent an enjoyable time with games and other forms of amusement. A tempting luncheon was served.

—Mrs. C. A. Teller, formerly Miss Lucille Price, of Paris, is improving at a hospital near Chicago, where she has been a patient for several months. Mr. Teller wrote a very encouraging letter last week to Mrs. Teller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Price, of this city, stating that Mrs. Teller's improvement was a matter of very great encouragement and satisfaction to her physicians.

(Other Personals on Page 5.)

## U. S. PRESSING NEED FOR CAVALRY HORSES

Not Only For Immediate War Requirements, But For the Future.

Washington, D. C., July 8.—The task of horsing Uncle Sam's troopers is one of the problems of the day. It is not alone a matter of supplying a sufficient number of remounts for the cavalry arm of the service for present day needs. The question of a reserve of the proper type for the future bulks large in the foreground. Col. John S. Fair of the Quartermaster Corps has this most important work in hand for the Federal Government. Col. Fair is in intimate touch with horse conditions throughout the United States, and no man speaks with greater knowledge of the country's needs in the matter of riding horse type. He realizes that it is from the quick, active families of which the thoroughbred standard bred and Morgan are representatives, that the remount supply must be drawn. Col. Fair's plea for an accelerated campaign of remount production should carry weight with breeders in every part of the Union and make them eager to assist the Government.

"I think," said he today, "that we were all beguiled into a feeling of security by the census of 1910, which announced that there were 23,000,000 horses in the United States. It was not until we were at war ourselves that the fact struck home that a very large proportion of these were draught breeds and that cavalry remount material was exceedingly scarce. Transport and gun horses we have in abundance, thanks to the importation of Percheron and other draught breeds, but in the matter of the riding horse, smooth and purposeless breeding outside of a few regions has reduced our standard to mediocrity. There has not been that systematic effort in horse production which is a feature of the economic development of most foreign governments, notably that of France which is generally recognized as a model for the world. The only helpful influence I know of that has been constant is that exercised by the breeding bureau of the Jockey Club in New York State and a similar organization on more restricted lines in Kentucky.

"The only light horse families," resumed Col. Fair, "that have been produced systematically in the United States for a specific purpose are the thoroughbred or standard bred trotter, and these have been developed for racing purposes. It is fortunate for this country that this should have been done; as these animals furnish an admirable foundation upon which to build our war horse structures. Both have been brought to their high state of perfection through breeding and racing tests, and in the process of evolution through which they have passed the weak have fallen by the way side. Nature in every breeding venture gives a certain proportion of failures. These trials of speed have developed the heart and lung power of the animals taking part in them. We will therefore not have to breed those qualities into the riding horse of the future if we follow the lines which success has blazed for our guidance. I am therefore greatly in favor of the breeding activities for the production of the thoroughbred, as this is the line upon which we hope to build a type of cavalry horse.

"Of the foreign nations now at war," resumed Col. Fair, "England was the only country that had not a well grounded plan for cavalry remount production. Her troopers were horsed largely from the 'racecourse' and the hunting field, and these furnished the 170,000 head in the emergency following the mobilization. Today through the generosity of Col. Hall Walker she has her own breeding studs under the control of an expert and a British officer told me a few days ago that the work was progressing famously.

The Race Course the Indispensable Test.

The sires which are expected to keep up the high standard of excellence must prove their right to reproduce themselves. They are tested for speed, courage, soundness and bottom. This is the same method which is in vogue in France and other Continental countries.

"There seems to be an idea in some portions of the United States that mares can not be worked prior to motherhood and for some time after the foals have been born. Visitors to France and rural England find quite following their dams about the fields as the matrons help to till the soil or garner the harvest. Moderate work is beneficial for mother and offspring.

"Another matter upon which the farmer should be enlightened is that breeding operations may be carried into the autumn, when most of the year's work has been concluded. If mother and foal are well nurtured and warmly housed growth will be rapid, and in some instances as yearlings there will be little difference between late and early tests. When our cavalry regiments return from overseas they will have to be rehoused.

A Patriotic Enterprise.

"The breeding of cavalry remounts, therefore, is a matter of patriotic endeavor, and every man who has a mare of the proper type should regard it as a duty to mate her this year. I understand that the New York State Cattle and Horse Breeding Service in this respect and that horse breeding in the Empire State has been greatly

stimulated through its co-operation with the farmers.

Early in the war when Russia made her great offensive and penetrated East Prussia," said Col. Fair in conclusion, "the announcement was made that Germany captured the loss of 20,000 choice mares from one of its most famous breeding studs more than any other misfortune connected with the campaign. I am ready to subscribe to the sentiment that such a number of the proper type of mare would be invaluable to us today. To Germany whose horse wastage is greater than that of any other country, they would be priceless. The Jockey Club, its chairman, Major August Belmont, F. Ambrose Clark, Henry T. Quinn and many others have donated or leased to the Government for a term of years horses of the type to benefit the movement."

Horses of Thoroughbred Type the Best.

Lieut. Col. M. C. Bristol is another member of the Government remount household who is a believer in thoroughbred blood in the trooper's mount. Col. Bristol has had much to do with the selection of the stallions which have been inaugurated at Front Royal, Va., and Fort Reno and Keogh in Oklahoma and Montana, respectively. He and those working under his supervision have been extremely careful in making their selections. No unsound or bad tempered animals have been accepted, and whenever a horse was found with a good racing record he was preferred to another of equal merit in all other respects. New Yorkers had an opportunity during the recent Belmont Park meeting to see some of them when Light Anna, Saratoga Roly, Achievement and other horses donated by the Jockey Club's breeding bureau and individuals were exhibited on the stretch.

Farmers Co-operation Essential.

In discussing the Government's remount plan in general, Col. Bristol said:

"There was a disposition at first on the part of some to think that we were engaging in the breeding business in opposition to the farmer. Nothing could be further from the truth. We have no desire to antagonize the farmer in his breeding ventures. As a matter of fact we are laying the foundation for a plan which will be of untold benefit to the farmers and horse breeders of the Union. It is our idea to breed stallions at our depots which will be distributed to the farmers free of any obligation. There will be no service fee and every aid will be given to stimulate the production of the proper type of remount without any strings to the proposition.

"I hope that there will be an increased interest in the racing, horse show and hunting activities of the country, as all of this makes for the development of the type of horse we want."

In France until the introduction of postage stamps and the rule of double postage for unpaid letters it was considered ill-bred to prepay a letter addressed to a friend.

## Professional Cards

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## WOMEN'S ACTIVITIES.

## Women to Register For War Work.

Mrs. E. F. Clay, Sr., Chairman.  
Plans are being worked out by which the registration of Bourbon county women will be taken during this month.

As he had tabulated the man power of the nation, so Uncle Sam wishes to tabulate the woman power. Mrs. E. F. Clay will act as chairman of registration. She wishes that each woman be taking stock of her abilities that she may have a share in winning the war. Bourbon must be able to report a 1000 per cent. registration if it maintains its usual standard, that set by the previous campaigns is war work.

## At the Red Cross Rooms.

Tuesday—U. D. C. and W. C. T. U.  
Wednesday—Paris Literary Club.  
Thursday—Young Woman's Circle.  
Friday—Progressive Culture Club.

## War Points

"What's a gentleman of leisure?"  
"There isn't any such thing. No gentleman allows himself to loaf these days."—Washington Star.

"What is your religion?"  
"Just at present, winning the war."—Detroit Free Press.

Waiter—What will you have sir?  
Diner—Oh, bring me an assortment of proteins, fats and carbohydrates—I leave it to you, Henry—say about 800 calories.—Boston Transcript.

"We've had a delightful summer."  
"Yes," replied the suspicious man.  
"And nobody has found a way to charge us extra for it."—Washington Star.

"What will you have for breakfast?" inquired the waiter.

"What's the use of my sitting here and guessing. You go ahead and bring me what the law allows for today."—Washington Star.

"Dearie, Miss Punkvoicer is now going to sing 'The Star Spangled Banner.'"

"All right," he replied. "I suppose I'll have to stand for it."—Detroit Free Press.

The American Red Cross has contributed \$250,000 to the Commission on Training Camp Activities, which furnishes recreation and amusement to the men in the cantonments.

Letters from American prisoners of war show that most of them depend exclusively on the food furnished them by the War and Navy Departments through the American Red Cross at Berne, Switzerland. The American prisoners of other nations, are not so well provided for, the rations furnished by the prison camps.

Dr. William P. Lucas, who has just returned to France to resume charge of the infant welfare work of the American Red Cross, has in France a staff of seventy doctors, two hundred trained nurses, and many aides and social workers—about 700 in all.

PARIS—Constant bombing of hospitals at B. . . ., has compelled the American Red Cross to secure a chateau six miles from town so that nurses can get enough sleep, according to a report just received at headquarters. Loss of sleep the report indicates has been one of the most serious results of these air raids as far as the nursing force is concerned. The nurses have refused to allow the attacks to affect their morale and some of them are mentioned as having continued to administer their calmly and undisturbed throughout one of the most persistent of the night air raids. The chateau, which is used also as a dormitory by the Smith College Unit, is far enough out to be fairly immune from bombing. The inspectors state that it is a godsend to the overworked and tired nurses who when not on duty can rest undisturbed.

PALERMO, ITALY.—It is the aim of all the ouvroirs, or sewing-rooms of the American Red Cross throughout Italy to cut the patterns of the garments made with as little waste as possible, but it is the boast of the ouvroir at Palermo that after their expert cutter has finished with a bolt of cloth, there is hardly a scrap an inch square left. Three or four girls, daughters of soldiers at the front, are employed at the ouvroir stuffing rag dolls with the threads and edges carefully gathered in the cutting room. These little girls then make a dress for each doll and when there is a sufficient number they are given to the babies at the creche, or nursery, and to the sick children at the pavilion, who are receiving medical attention.

## SPRING LAMB—SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK.

We have purchased of Mr. I. D. Thompson a fine bunch of Spring lambs that were not ready for the Eastern market. We are going to put this bunch on the market this week at the following bargain prices: Hind-quarters, 40 cents the pound, front-quarters, 35c the pound. This same meat is selling on the Eastern markets at 75 cents to \$1.00 per pound. This bunch will go fast. Try to get in on this big bargain. MARGOLEN'S SANITARY MEAT MARKET. (6-2t)

## PARIS COLORED SOLDIER WRITES FROM FRANCE

One of the many interesting letters that have come overseas lately is the one that is printed below, received by Mr. Phil Nippert, of the Paris Ice Manufacturing Co., from Robert Crombie, colored, a former employe of the plant. Crombie is now a member of Co. A., 515th Engineer Service Battalion, American Expeditionary Force. A memorandum from the censor who passed the letter is written on the back of the last page, as follows:

"Dear Sir:—Would suggest this as an ideal letter for a newspaper article. The same plainly shows the attitude of the colored boys toward the war. It should be consoling to many parents and relatives.

## "CO. A. CENSOR."

Crombie's letter is couched in well-chosen language, and gives an insight into affairs in France, as far as is possible to escape the eagle eye of the censor. The letter, which is dated June 28, is as follows:

"June 28, 1918.

"Mr. Philip Nippert,  
"Paris Ice Mfg. Co.

"Dear Sir:—Had promised to write to you, so I am taking this time to do it. Of course I have been a little negligent in doing so, but in no way have I forgotten the friend of my past employment. Was a great deal surprised in my conception of France and its inhabitants, from what I can already see of her. \* \* \* Her industries are all of ancient time, no modern inventions whatever. I must say the bicycle has won fame as a means of conveyance. They fall for them more than the American does for the auto.

"Am glad to say that I am having a nice time while here, at any rate about as good as could be expected of a 'soldier,' be at such a critical time. The only thing is, I get a little lonesome at times, and not only I, but the whole battalion. This is a pretty good place to freshen up your medieval and ancient histories, that is if all look at as I do. I dare say this is why some of us can find something interesting when other can't, and of course they do likewise.

"The colored boys are very strong in number over here, and growing stronger monthly. A great bunch arrived lately, and a few were ex-employees of yours, I am sure, such as Fields Whaley and John Bots. A very young bunch, I mean from home. They belong to the Quartermaster's Corps.

"They tell me most of the young fellows are leaving Paris, and naturally employment is in great demand, but I presume you had foreseen this, and engaged your help in the early spring for the summer and fall.

"Mr. Phil, I am taking great pleasure in writing to you and it is my sincere desire that you find it interesting, although the things that I would call interesting are forbidden by the military censors. Everywhere in France you can easily see the effects of this war, not only by devastation of property, but by depriving most families of their male providers, and I dare say if it had not been for the reciprocal debt that America owed her, and as America felt justified in paying her, she would have long been whipped or vanquished. Best regards to George, Haywood and Mr. Marks. Must close for this time.

"Yours very truly,  
"PRIVATE R. E. CROMBIE,  
"A. E. F. VIA N. Y."

## COMING ATTRACTIONS AT PARIS GRAND AND ALAMO

To-day, Tuesday, August 6—Maeterlinck's "The Blue Bird," a mammoth dramatic spectacle of happiness that will put new courage into American hearts; "Flames of Peril," the second episode of "A Fight For Millions," featuring William Duncan, Edith Johnson and Joe Ryan.

To-morrow, Wednesday, August 7.—Sessue Hayakawa, in "The Bravest Way," also a Luke Comedy and Pathe News feature.

Thursday, August 8—Mabel Normand, in "Joan of Plattsburg," a picture of wonderful patriotism; Mutt and Jeff Comedy, "The Burglar Alarm," and Pathe News feature.

## VEGETABLE CURIOS.

A tomato, weighing two pounds and two ounces, grown in the war garden of Mr. J. Will Thomas, is displayed in the show window of the D. Feld Shoe Store.

An ear of corn, fully developed, growing from the end of a stalk, instead of from the side, is on display in the grocery of Mr. A. B. Lovell, on Eighth street. The freak was raised in Capt. F. E. Nelson's garden. There is also on display at the same place a last year's pumpkin in perfect condition, and as solid as the day it was pulled from the vine.

## LAIR FARM SOLD.

Mr. Wm. C. Watkins, of Irvine, has closed a deal through the local real estate firm of Harris & Speakes, by which he will become possessor next March of the Matt Lair farm. The farm embraces 221 acres, and is situated on the Lexington pike, about two miles from Paris. The price paid by Mr. Watkins was \$275 per acre, or a total of \$60,500. Mr. Lair bought the farm some time ago from Mr. Frank P. White.

## THIRD ANNUAL REUNION OF SHROPSHIRE FAMILY

The third annual reunion of the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey Shropshire was held Sunday at the old family home, "Valley Forge," near Leesburg. There were present fifty-one of the lineal descendants of this couple, with twenty-six other relatives and five visitors.

A large number of those attending met for religious services Sunday morning at the Leesburg Christian church, where the sermon was preached by Rev. Newton L. Shropshire, of Clintonville. The dinner provided by the householders of the family was served on the lawn of the old home, and, while elaborate, conformed entirely to the regulations of the food administration.

The reunion, which has become a fixture in the life of the family, was marked this year by the reading of a history of the Shropshire family by Mrs. Willie Shropshire Waits, of Cynthiana. In the preparation of the document she was assisted by Isaac C. Shropshire. A remarkable fact in connection with the reunion was that there has been but one death in the whole family since the reunion held one year ago.

The following were elected officers for the next reunion: James H. Shropshire, of Harrison county, president; Walter Henderson Shropshire, of Bourbon county, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Willie Shropshire Waits, of Harrison county, historian, and Isaac Shropshire, of Cynthiana, assistant historian.

Mrs. Carley Wilmoth, of this city, who is one of the descendants, being a daughter of Mr. James Shropshire, of Leesburg, with Mr. Wilmoth, attended the reunion.

## NEW CHURCH WILL BE DEDICATED FREE OF DEBT.

When the new Presbyterian church in this city is dedicated in the very near future, it will not find a cent indebtedness resting upon it, which will be a matter of great congratulation to the members of the congregation and to the officers of the church.

At the meeting held in the new church building for the first time Sunday financial matters pertaining to the future welfare of the church were taken up, and pledges and money contributions were taken amounting to a total of \$10,200, being \$200 in excess of the sum required to wipe out the indebtedness.

With the exception of the motor for operating the big pipe organ, which has been lost or miscarried in transit, the church is completed and in readiness for regular services. It is one of the handsomest church homes in the State, a credit to the community and an ornament to the immediate vicinity where its predecessors have weathered the storms of years and years, and where hundreds of dead and gone Parisians have worshipped for years before their summons came to join the silent majority in the Great Beyond.

## AUTOS FOR SALE.

New Brisco and Page Automobile and one second-hand Chevrolet in good order. Apply at Oakland Garage, corner Fourth and High streets. (2-tf) F. P. WHITE.

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## CARLISLE HAS \$3,000 FIRE.

The grocery store in Carlisle of J. D. Frederick was destroyed early Friday morning by fire. The building belonged to C. C. Cole, of Carlisle, and was valued at \$2,500 with \$1,000 insurance. The damage caused by the fire will total about \$3,000. The stock of goods owned by Frederick was valued at \$1,000 with \$500 insurance. The Nicholas Home Telephone Company suffered several hundred dollars' loss as the wire cable was burned putting more than one hundred phones out of commission. The Carlisle Electric Light Company also suffered some damage to its wires.

News was received same day that Piqua, a small village in Robinson county, was almost entirely wiped out by fire, but the extent of the damage is not known.

## Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance.

Thomas, Woodford & Bryan.

## INJURED BY AUTO.

While crossing Main street, near the Bourbon-Agricultural Bank Friday, Mr. J. T. Martin was knocked down and run over by an automobile. As Mr. Martin came from behind an automobile standing on the other side of the street, to cross to the bank, he was struck by the auto, which was being driven by Mrs. Jas. Mernaugh, coming from the opposite direction.

His hands and side were badly lacerated by being dragged along under the machine, which proceeded several yards before it could be stopped. Mr. Martin was extracted from his perilous place and taken to his home, where his injuries received prompt medical attention. He was reported yesterday as resting comfortably.

## Farm For Rent.

My farm of 556 acres, near Ewalt's Cross Roads, in Bourbon county. Privilege to seed this fall. None but perfectly reliable parties need apply. Money rent.

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## Children's Wash Suits at Sale Prices

\$3.00 Wash Suits cut to	<b>\$2.25</b>	\$2.00 Wash Suits cut to	<b>\$1.45</b>
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**WALTER CLARK,**  
Tax Commissioners for Bourbon County.  
**JNO. J. REDMON, Deputy.**  
(2 July-17)

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(2-17) F. P. WHITE.

### YOUNG WOMAN INJURED.

While engaged in housework at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Redmon, near Paris, Miss Louise Redmon, tripped over a broom and was thrown to the floor. She sustained injuries to her right knee and ankle, which will confine her to the house for several days.

### PALM BEACHES REDUCED

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### BACON SPECIAL AT MARGOLEN'S THE WEEK.

Three pounds of good country bacon for \$1.00 this week only, as a special.  
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### BUYS TENTH STREET HOUSE

Mr. Thos. Ahearn, of the firm of Ahearn & Burton, purchased of John Johnson, of Lexington, Saturday afternoon the two-story frame house at the corner of Tenth and Pleasant streets, occupied by them as a restaurant and bakery. The price paid for the property was not given out for publication. Mr. Johnson's business interests having become centered in Lexington he decided to dispose of the property.

### SAVE!

We have in stock in our tailoring department 33 pieces of woolen suitings, which were carried over from last year. These suitings are fully as good patterns as could be procured this year, and the prices are very cheap, almost like buying wheat at \$1.00 the bushel, therefore, by selecting one of these before they have all been sold, the lucky ones can realize a great saving on their winter suit. We are also receiving daily many new patterns for fall, both in suitings and overcoatings. Now is the time to make your selection.

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### SOME AUGUST WEATHER.

This is August weather with a verdict of suffering humanity as to the weather of Saturday, Sunday and yesterday was unanimous. The mercury reached the topmost notch of the present summer season Sunday afternoon, where reliable thermometers registered 104 degrees.

Saturday was a scorching day when the mercury ascended into the nineties, but Sunday was admitted by all to be "the hottest day ever." Large numbers of bathers spent the afternoon at Boonesboro, and along the banks of Stoner creek and at private ponds in the county, all seeking relief from the intense heat. As late as midnight Sunday there was no appreciable relaxation of the intense heat. Cloudy skies gave promise for the succeeding day.

### NEW AUTO OWNERS.

Mr. Hedges Rash, of the transfer firm of Gilkey & Rash, of North Middletown, recently purchased a Model 10, one ton Republic motor truck from the Republic Motor Truck Co., at Lexington. The Phoenix Garage, of Lexington, reports the following sales to Bourbon county people: To Robert Lyne, of Paris, a two-passenger Franklin roadster; to J. E. Hunter, of Paris, a five passenger touring car. All the cars have been delivered. They also sold to Mr. C. Sweeney, of Paris, a touring car. Mr. Charles Webber and party have returned from Syracuse, New York, driving three Franklin touring cars, a Sedan car and a Franklin roadster. The cars were brought to Paris by Mr. Webber, Fred Bryant, Shelby Lane, Emmett Edwards and Robert Lyne.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

#### Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Miss Edna Huffman, of Covington, is visiting relatives and friends in Paris.

—Mr. Duncan Bell returned Sunday night from a business trip to New York.

—Miss Eleanor Daniels, of Covington, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sledd, near Paris.

—Mrs. Addie Daugherty and children, of Ludlow, Ky., are guests of Mrs. Margaret Burnett.

—Mrs. Hershel Humble and Mrs. I. D. Thompson are guests of friends and relatives in Somerset.

—Miss Laura Belle Smith has returned from a two-weeks' visit to friends and relatives in Cynthiana.

—Miss Augusta Rogers has returned to her home in Lexington, after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in Paris.

—Dr. A. H. Keller and Mr. Ellis Hukill visited friends and relatives in Irvine from Sunday to yesterday afternoon.

—Miss Bernice Moore and Martha Coleman, of Mt. Sterling, were guests of Miss Anna Louise White for the dance at Masonic Temple, Friday night.

—Mr. Ashley, recently appointed agent for the Adams Express Co., at this point, has leased one of the Dr. F. P. Campbell cottages on High street, and has moved his family here from Covington.

—Mrs. Otis Allender, of Falmouth, and her sister, Mrs. Arel Allender, of Doxey, Okla., returned to Falmouth, Sunday, after a visit to their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Day, on Vine street, in this city.

—Lexington Leader: "Ben 'Biscuit' Downey, of Paris, representing the National Biscuit Company, was on hand at the meeting Saturday night, and had a good time. Ben is the best fisherman Blue Grass Council has on the list, and when it comes to selling crackers and cakes he is 'way out in front.'"

—The Carlisle Mercury says: "Miss Alice Herman Shankland has returned from Paris, where she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Durham Smart. . . Mrs. J. C. Smart and children, Maybelle, Joseph and J. C. Smart, Jr., have returned from Paris, where they have been guests of relatives."

—Misses Anna Frank Bridges, Elsie Pinnell, Louise Terrill, and H. P. Montgomery, James Glass, Bolton Armstrong, Morton Clark, Roland Keene, Chas. Adams, Jas. Hough Kelley, Edwin Garth, Will Rankin Lair and Stanley Kirk, of Georgetown, attended the August dance given at Masonic Temple, Friday night.

—At the entertainment given by the Mystic Order of Shriners in Lexington, Mr. Clay Sutherland, of Paris, a member of the order, sang a beautiful solo. He was accompanied at the piano by Miss Elizabeth Crutcher, of Paris. Mr. Sutherland's selection was heartily applauded and he was compelled to respond to encores.

—Miss Margaret Ferguson entertained with a dining Saturday evening at her home on the Hume & Bedford pike, in honor of Misses Marian and Elizabeth Clay Alexander, who are guests of Paris relatives. The guests were Misses Elizabeth Clay Alexander and Marian Alexander, Kate Alexander, Mrs. Katherine Davis Craig, Charlton Clay, Withers Davis and Hugh Ferguson.

—The August dance given at the Masonic Temple, Friday night, was a brilliant success, and was attended by a large number of young people from surrounding towns. The music was furnished by Smith's Saxophone Orchestra. There was but one thing lacking, the presence of Ireland "Bit" Davis, who has done as much, perhaps as anyone in Central Kentucky, to make dancing a popular pastime, and his absence on this occasion was a source of genuine regret.

—Winchester Daily Democrat: "Mrs. W. E. Pinnell, Mrs. Bettie Van Meter, of Lexington; Mrs. Charles Nelson, Mr. Spencer Pinnell, Misses Ruth Pinnell and Lucille Clark and Charles B. Nelson, Jr., motored to Paris to see Mrs. Lou Davis Redmon, Mrs. Mary Walker and Miss Maude Wilson. . . Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ecton and Mr. and Mrs. Younger Osborne motored to Paris to see Mr. Ecton's sister, who is ill at the hospital. She was reported somewhat improved."

—Miss Ruby Jane Houston, the charming sister of Mrs. Spears Moore, entertained a party of young people with a theatre party at the Paris Grand, Saturday evening, in honor of Miss Elizabeth Stuart Carter, of Paris, who will soon remove to Lexington to reside. The members of the party were Mr. John Dundon and Miss Elizabeth Stuart Carter; Mr. Foster Mitchell and Miss Margaret Griffith; Mr. Robert Smith and Miss Mildred Collier; Mr. Ussery Wilder and Miss Macie Saloshin; Mr. Robert Lair (Cynthiana) and Miss Margaret Ewalt; Mr. Ed. Drane Paton and Miss Mary Ellen Scott; Mr. George Duncan and Miss Ethel McPheeters; Mr. Holt Henry and Miss Laura Price (Danville); Mr. Gall Browne and Miss Nellie Case (Covington); Mr. Jack Lair and Miss Mary Frances Campbell; Mr. James Rowland and Miss Ruby Houston; Mr. Yutaki Minakuchi, (unattached.) Following this the party was entertained at the Sweet Shop by Mrs. O. P. Carter, where refreshments were served,

toasts proposed and responded to and games played.

—Mrs. John Koontz and son, John Koontz, Jr., are visiting relatives in Covington.

—Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Wallingford have returned from their bridal tour through Virginia and the East.

—Mrs. C. H. Estes has returned to her home in Norwood, Ohio, after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Estes.

—Miss Josephine Shawhan has returned from Richmond, where she has been attending the summer session at the State Normal School.

—Miss Mayme Carter, of near Paris, is a patient at the Good Samaritan Hospital, in Lexington, suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

—Mrs. Jacob Schuster and son, Lloyd, have returned to their home in Covington, after a visit to friends in North Middletown and Paris. They were accompanied by Miss Amelia Wind, who will be a guest at their home for several weeks.

—Mrs. Lizzie Price and daughter, Miss Paige Price, of Denver, Colo., have arrived in Paris, to spend the remainder of the summer with Mrs. Price's brother, Capt. F. E. Nelson, and Mrs. Nelson, at their home on Eighth street.

—Mr. Fred Legg has returned to his home in Cincinnati, after a visit to his sister, Mrs. Frank Trisler, on Eighth street. Mr. Legg is president of the Logan & Kanawha Coal & Coke Co., one of the largest producing concerns in the West Virginia fields.

—Mrs. Harvey Owens entertained at her home in Lexington, Saturday, in honor of Mrs. Mattie Jones and daughter, Miss Sunshine Jones, of Paris. After the games and music, refreshments were served. Mrs. Jones and daughter will visit relatives in Lexington before returning to their home in this city.

—Miss Della Hornback entertained a number of her friends at her home on Main street, last Saturday evening, with a party given for her brother, Private Melvin Hornback, who is stationed at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, and is at home for a few days. Various games were enjoyed by the young people. Ices and cakes were served.

—Mayor George Weissenger Smith and Mrs. Smith, touring the Bluegrass in their big touring car, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Hinton, in this city, Friday. They were enroute through Kentucky to Camp Sherman, near Chillicothe, Ohio, to visit their son, who is stationed in the camp receiving instructions for overseas work. Mr. Smith and Mr. Hinton were fellow members of the Kentucky Legislature several years ago.

—Danville Messenger: "Mr. Wm. S. Rowland has returned from a visit to friends in Paris. . . Mr. Thomas Johnson left Saturday for Paris where he will be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Woodford, for a few days. . . Mrs. Geo. C. Thompson, Jr., has returned to Paris, after a visit to friends here. Mrs. Thompson was the handsome matron of honor at the Hanger-Shelby wedding. Mrs. Thompson, who was formerly Miss Matilda James, of Paris, now resides at Allinsville, Ala."

(Other Personals on Page 3.)

## AUGUST VICTOR RECORDS

64783. Khaki Sammy—Mabel Garrison, Soprano. 10-inch; price \$1.00.

64784. Canzonetta—"Flonzaley Quartet." 10-inch; list price \$1.00.

64782. The Magic of Your Eyes—France Alda, Soprano. 10-inch; price \$1.00.

74571. The Song that Reached My Heart—Evan Williams, Tenor. 12-inch; price \$1.50.

74577. Eili, Eili, lama sabachthani—Sophie Breslau, Contralto. 12-inch; price \$1.50.

55093. American Fantasie (Part I); American Fantasie (Part II); Victor Herbert's Orchestra. 12-inch; list price \$1.50.

70121. Granny's Laddy—Harry Lauder. 12-in.; list price \$1.25.

18465. They Were All Out of Step But Jim—Billy Murray. We're All Going Calling on the Kaiser—William J. "Sailor" Reilly. 10-in., price 85c.

18480. We'll Do Our Share—Peerless Quartet. Cheer Up, Father; Cheer Up, Mother—Lewis James. 10-inch; list price 85c.

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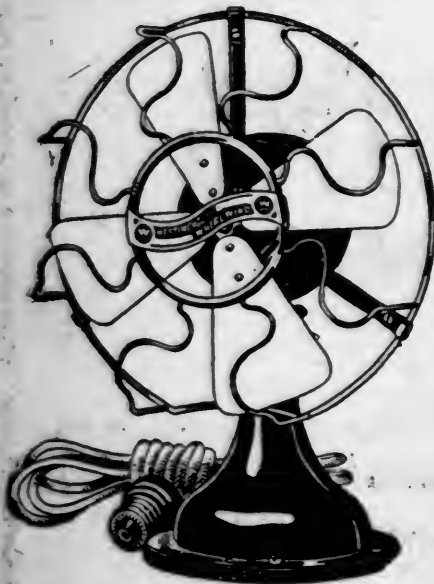
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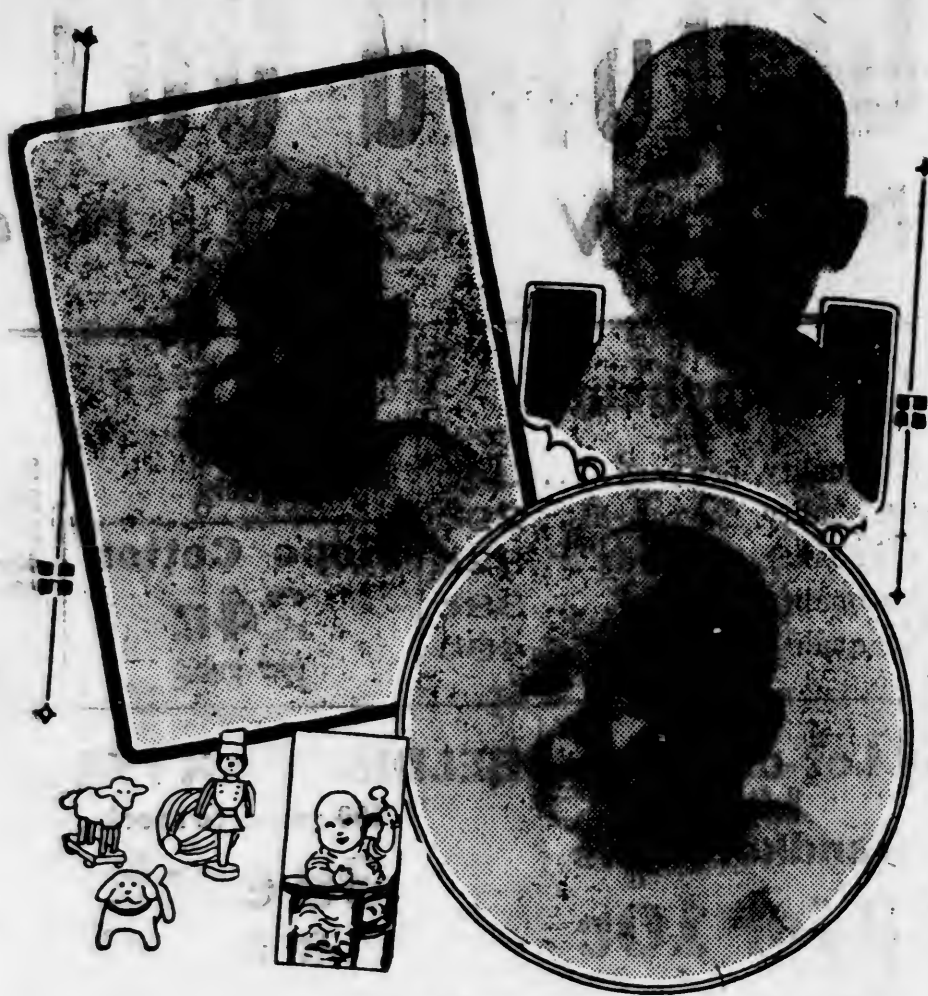
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## HUNDREDS OF TOTS LISTED FOR BABY PAGEANT AT STATE FAIR



—Photo from the Cusick Studio, Louisville, Ky.

There is no feature of the Kentucky State Fair in which spectators exhibit a deeper interest than the charming and spectacular "Baby Pageant," which finals the Babies' Health Contest on Friday afternoon of Fair week. The pageant each year is entirely different in type and is kept as a surprise to State Fair visitors until the hour announced for its presentation on Friday. They are designed to exhibit spectacularly the gifts and graces of the three hundred or more winsome entrants in the Baby Contest and provide a delightful finale to a period which is of intense seriousness and importance to both mothers and babies, for it is in the Babies' Health Contest, instituted at the Kentucky State Fair in 1913, that babies between twelve and thirty-six months receive an examination and scoring of vast importance to the future physical welfare of the child. The babies are classed and scored on the same scientific basis that carefully-bred stock is handled, and they are gone over from head to foot by experts in eye, ear, throat, lung, brain and general practice lines in a manner which leaves nothing undiscovered in regard to the little one's physical condition, the points needing correction or the fact brought forth that baby is devoid of weakness or blemish. To mothers unacquainted with scientific methods of baby care

and to those living in rural districts where such information is difficult and oftentimes impossible to obtain the Babies' Health Contests are valuable beyond measure, as is proved by the fact that in the city of Chicago statistics show that 11 per cent of the children die, while those looked after scientifically by the Infant Welfare Society lose only 3½ per cent. This demonstrates beyond argument that the Babies' Health Contests are educative along lines invaluable to the coming generation, and that all mothers should be provided with the knowledge of how to care for her baby, how to feed it, how to let it sleep, how to dress it, and how to remedy defects.

The Babies' Health Contest this year is under the supervision of Mrs. John L. Woodbury, who has handled it since its original introduction at the Kentucky State Fair in 1913.

The city babies who enter the contest are examined throughout the week prior to the opening of the Fair, September 9, in Kentucky State Fair Headquarters, in the Republic Building, and the babies from the rural districts are examined during Fair week in the Babies' Health Contest Building on the grounds. It is after the marking, scoring and tabulating is over that the babies are gathered for the pageant, which displays the charming tots to delightful advantage.

## AUTO POLO AT FAIR BAND GREAT FEATURE

Popular Sport For Visitors to Louisville During September

Something New in Entertainment Line —Is Thrilling and Exciting From Start to Finish.

"Auto Polo" is announced as a star feature of the amusement attractions of the sixteenth annual Kentucky State Fair, to be held in Louisville the week of September 9-14.

This game will be an entire innovation to State Fair visitors, and is heralded as one of the most unique, exciting and absorbing contests ever offered at the Kentucky Fair or any other celebration of like character.

The entertainment consists of a nerve-ringing, wildly-exciting battle between polo experts who are mounted in especially constructed automobiles, instead of on polo ponies as of yore. Playing the game in addition to managing a careening, space-eating automobile is a proposition calculated to keep spectators on the qui vive of excitement and suspense, and the game in its present form rather tends to make the pony-played polo look like child's play.

The polo contests will take place every night of the Fair in the big \$150,000 Hippodrome Building and every afternoon in front of the race track grandstand.

The game is said to be one which has created a furore in the sporting world, and few can watch the curiously-constructed automobiles "turn turtle" at critical periods of the game and right themselves immediately by reason of their build, without being on their feet with excitement during the better part of the game.

The great \$10,000 five gaited saddle horse stake which was introduced at the Kentucky State Fair last year and will be a feature of the sixteenth annual Kentucky State Fair this year, focuses the attention of the horse world on the state. The event consists of a sensational struggle for championship honors among the stallions on Monday night, the mares on Tuesday night and the geldings on Wednesday night, while the grand championship of the world is fought out between mares, stallions and geldings on Saturday night of Fair week.

## Thaviu Has Been Secured By The State Fair

The sixteenth annual Kentucky State Fair to be held in Louisville the week of September 9-14, will boast in Thaviu's Band of forty musicians one of the greatest musical organizations ever appearing at a State Fair. The Thaviu organization is made up of forty splendidly trained musicians who are arrayed in military regalia and accompanying it is a coterie of solo artists of international repute, together with a galaxy of ballet dancers who are said to be terpsichorean wonders and fully up to the coryphee support of Pavlova, Genee or Ruth St. Denis. Thaviu's Band was one of the sixteen great organizations which played



Thaviu.

at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, and it was the only one commissioned to play a return engagement. As a traveling organization it has visited all the principal cities of the United States and has invariably received a contract for a return engagement.

Thaviu himself is a musician of the widest culture and training and his leadership is demonstrated by the merit of his musicians' performances. His programs are made up of selections appealing to cosmopolitan tastes and are of a kind to delight crowds with tastes as diverse as that of State Fair.

## HUNS DIDN'T GET UKRAINE GRAIN

It Was Burned There by Remnants of the Czecho-Slovak Retiring Army.

## TOUGH TEUTS IN STOMACHS

Food Allowances Reduced, and Starvation in Some Places is Apparent—Take Revenge for Oppressive Treatment of Bohemia.

Washington.—Amid the many easy triumphs which enabled the Teutons this year to slice great sections from the map of Russia, like coupons from a bond, Germany and Austria both suffered one frightful disappointment. And the pang was in the weakest part of their political anatomy—the collective stomach of their peoples.

The grain of which the two kaisers expected to plunder the Ukraine was not there—at least there was so little of it that Germany had to lower her bread ration, while Austria continued to starve a bit more rapidly. The supplies had been burned.

These fires were lighted, with a kind of poetic justice, by the remnants of the Czecho-Slovak army—deserters from the Austrian ranks and inveterate enemies of the Hapsburgs, who had been reconstituted into Russian military units under the Kerensky regime and fought so splendidly for Russia before the whole nation collapsed from the gnawing of the bolshevik.

## Fortunate for the Allies.

Until March of this year this Czecho-Slovak army had been stationed in the Ukraine—50,000 men in line and 50,000 more in reserve. Then bolshevik representatives dissolved their organization and took away their arms, though about 20,000 refused to part with their weapons. They were given promises that they would be allowed to leave Russia for the United States, but, of course, no means of transportation were provided. And so they remained where they were.

It was fortunate for the allies that they did. As soon as they realized that Germany's chief objective in Russia was the Ukrainian grain supply they began a systematic campaign of pillage and burning, in which they were assisted by the peasants themselves, aroused at the thought that the old landowners were to return under German protection.

The evidence that the Czecho-Slovaks were successful is incontestable. Count Czernin, Austro-Hungarian prime minister until his little exchange of pleasantries with M. Clemenceau, placed the responsibility for the bare Ukrainian cupboard on the shoulders of the Czecho-Slovaks. German representatives in the Austrian reichsrath repeated the charge in greater details. A Magyar deputy in the Hungarian parliament recently declared that the Czecho-Slovak army in Ukraine had burned or taken away everything of value.

## Had Their Revenge.

Not only did they destroy what they could, but they fought bitterly to prevent the Teutons taking what was left. Retiring and hampered by their lack of equipment, they stopped to meet the advancing Germans repeatedly in the field. Their last battle, one of those confused struggles which get little space in the cable reports, was fought near Bachmac, halfway between Kieff and Kursk on the road to Moscow. After the fight, though the Czecho-Slovaks had been armed chiefly with axes, they themselves buried more than 300 Germans.

Certainly in Ukraine the Czecho-Slovaks have had their revenge for three centuries of suffocation and oppression in Bohemia. But throughout the war they have launched shattering blows against their Austrian and German enemies and the whole idea of Mittel Europa.

## KEEP LOST MEN'S PHOTOS

Navy Department is Anxious to Perpetuate Memory of Enlisted Men.

Washington.—Secretary Daniels is anxious to preserve in the navy's record photographs of all men of that branch who have lost their lives in the service. He is requesting relatives and friends to send photographs to the recruiting division, bureau of navigation, navy department.

The purpose is to perpetuate the memory of enlisted men. Officers are required to provide photographs and official pictures are taken of all graduates of Annapolis.

As rapidly as photographs of enlisted men are received copies will be made for the records of the navy department and the originals returned to the owners. A photograph of each man will be forwarded by the department to the training station where he began his career in the service. There, a memorial gallery or hero's corner will be formed.

## Sets Example to Teachers.

White Cloud, Kan.—Professor Roberts, superintendent of the schools here, has set the example in patriotism for his men teachers. Instead of attending a county teachers' institute he has gone to work raising garden truck on a farm.

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## To Locate Sunken Vessels.

A means of making use of the electro-magnet under water has been devised in Japan, and it promises to be of great assistance in locating sunken vessels, to recover which salvage operations on a big scale are expected after the war.

## Thought Rules the World.

In the end thought rules the world. There are times when impulses and passions are more powerful, but they soon expend themselves; while mind, acting constantly, is ever ready to drive them back and work when their energy is exhausted.—McCosh.



## HOME SERVICE "PLATTSBURGH" HOLD SESSIONS.

"Home Service Plattsburghs" are in session. In a six-weeks' course, Red Cross Chapter delegates to the Home Service Institutes at Cleveland and Cincinnati are receiving instruction in Red Cross Home Service.

Chapters in all counties of the Lake Division Red Cross States, Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky, are awake to the great need for Home Service. Committees have been appointed and delegates sent to take these important courses.

There is so much work to be done! Untrained workers, however willing, cannot answer all the questions that arise, even in the small communities. Every chapter needs at least one trained executive to direct this patriotic work in the community.

At the Home Service Institutes courses are given covering War Risk Insurance, re-education of wounded soldiers and sailors, the care of civil and business affairs of absent soldiers, health of soldiers' families and child welfare. Conferences and discussions are arranged to answer questions that may arise on points regarding delayed allotments and communications.

Enthusiasm, earnestness and diligence have marked the work at the previous institutes. The Lake Division leads all other divisions in the number of students graduated from former Home Service Institutes. One hundred and twenty-seven students from seventy-six chapters have received instruction and returned to their home towns to carry on this important Red Cross work. The demand for similar courses has been so universal that future institutes have been arranged to take care of those who could not attend the present sessions.

September 1st, at Indianapolis and Columbus, October 1st in Cleveland will see new groups gathered from the chapters' committees. The Lake Division Bureau of Civilian Relief has arranged to have expert workers lecture at these meetings and is doing everything possible to provide trained workers for all chapters.

"Plan ahead. Don't miss your opportunity to attend the next 'H. S.' Institute. Study the work which stay-at-home patriots must do to keep up the courage of the soldiers and sailors and relieve anxiety in the families of the fighting men," says the message of James L. Fleister, division director of Civilian Relief, to the chapter workers charged to "carry on."

**Shipping the Burden.**  
"Fludub's wife is helping him to write his novels now." "He always was lazy. After he gets her trained, I s'pose he'll let her do it all."

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## REALLY NO SECRET

Power to Charm Lies in Forgetfulness of Self.

Women Who Fascinate Have Simply Developed the Art or Power of Putting Others "On Good Terms With Themselves."

A vivacious woman writer seeking the secret of feminine fascination, finds it in the art or power some women have of charming others by putting them, as a bluff Britisher phrased it, "on ripping good terms with themselves." Is not this a characteristic of almost all those persons, men and women, whom we like the best and enjoy the most? Do they not, either by artifice or by instinct, endeavor to make the people they meet feel that they amount to something, know something, have some excellence, attractiveness or interesting qualities, and thus put them on pleasant terms with themselves. The persons who are least adept at this or least inclined to try it are the self-centered, self-important people completely absorbed in their own affairs and not wise or well-bred in little worlds of which they are the centers, and may be said in a certain sense to revolve about themselves.

This is a characteristic brought up from lower forms of life, from which we are ancestrally derived and only in part outgrown. For most animals the only concern of the least importance are those which directly affect themselves. They are egocentric. The things that touch them make up their world and they have no interests outside of that. More than any other animal the dog can sink his personality so to speak, subordinate himself and make his master's interests his own. Only infrequent individuals of other species can or will do this. Hence dogs as a rule are more companionable for men than any other living creatures below him in the evolutionary scale.

But to return to human beings, Josephine was the most beloved and charming woman in France because she took a genuine and kindly interest in the affairs of all with whom she came in touch. She was outgoing, inclusive in her sympathies and thus counteracted the antagonism created by Napoleon, who was self-centered to an extraordinary degree. Not to multiply examples, does not experience teach all observant people that in selfishness lies the secret of charm? Are not the lovable people those whose love goes out spontaneously, or appears to? Is not egocentricity, entire absorption in themselves, a characteristic held in common by most of the people who get on one's nerves? Kind hearts are more than coronets, said Tennyson.

More attractive, therefore, than beauty or the brilliancy and glitter of intellectuality is the drawing power of kindly consideration for others. Fascination is born of the heart, not of the mind; and whether instinctive or acquired, would seem to be the art of entering into the lives of others and putting them, as the Englishman said, on good terms with themselves.—Rochester Post-Express.

## She Knew Better Anyhow.

A certain small town, seven miles from somewhere else, as the crowd flies, boasted only two physicians, Doctor Smith and Doctor Brown. There was considerable rivalry between the two knights of the pill and powder and when Doctor Smith received a very urgent call from a young farmer about four miles in the country, he left an office full of patients, cranked up what has to be cranked up and was off.

When he arrived at the farmer's house he found that a three-year-old "farmer" had cut his finger. The doctor was chagrined when he saw the "serious" nature of the accident. He thought of the office full of patients he had left and had visions of them walking in single file to the office of Doctor Brown.

"It was very, very silly of you to call me on this case," he said, somewhat testily, to the farmer's wife.

"I know it was, but Doctor Brown was out."

## Strained His Telescope.

The oldest inhabitant of Little Cockleton possesses a telescope which he never uses.

"Why don't you make use of it some times, James?" a neighbor asked.

"It used to be a good 'n," James said sorrowfully, "but it's broke now."

"Broken?" the neighbor asked.

"How's that?"

"Well," James replied, "it was such a good 'n that I could see the old church steeple five miles away quite plain, but Joseph, the scoundrel, got the lens of it and tried to make out the steeple of the Methodist chapel mornin' ten miles away. He tried and tried and couldn't, so that he strained my glass and it's never been right since. Drat Joseph."

## Commander a "Good Fellow."

One of the home-guard boys had on a uniform that was too large for him. While waiting on the station platform for the train to come the commander noticed this boy and coming up to him turned him around and around, looking him over on every side. Finally he said: "Young man, that suit does not fit you."

The boy, not realizing to whom he was talking, promptly retorted: "Well, that is no reason why I should be made a windmill of, is it?" Luck favored him and the commander laughed.

## OLD ITALIAN SPORT

Peculiar Method of Snaring Migrating Pigeons

At Cava dei Tirreni the Birds Are Waylaid With Nets and Slings—Much Ingenuity Necessary to Secure Good "Bag."

It is not often that one comes across a little place that has an ingenious and exciting sport all its own. At Cava dei Tirreni, in Italy, however, there has for a thousand years existed a peculiar form of pigeon catching. It was introduced in 892, says Mr. Herbert Vivian in Italy at War and it has flourished ever since. At the beginning of every autumn great flocks of pigeons migrate from Siberia to Africa and pass over Cava and the Gulf of Salerno. They probably have other routes, but Cava is the only place where they are waylaid with nets and slings. The season is at its height from the 15th to 25th of October.

The pigeon catchers are mostly men of the lower middle class, who club together to form six societies, or "games." A game usually consists of three or four towers and a clearing where the nets are set up. One tower is probably a thousand yards from the net, and the nearest perhaps seventy yards, but the distances vary. The towers are tall and slim, windowless and weather-beaten. There are steps about halfway up the inside, and a rickety ladder leads to the parapet at the top. Each society has also a neat little clubhouse, usually near the chief tower.

In a merry mood the members take their places in the fresh morning air. Most of them are dressed in velvetene coats, top-boots and peaked caps. Two men ascend each tower and the rest are distributed among the nets. In each of the clearings stands a small house from the center of which rises a tall black mast. To that two huge nets are fastened, stretching right and left to clumps of trees and spreading out obliquely to the ground. Inside the house is a handle and a cogwheel for raising the weighted nets. The lookout place is a straw hut two or three miles away in the direction from which the pigeons are expected. When the watcher sights a flock of birds he gives a signal on his horn, which other watchers scattered about the woods take up.

The birds travel at a tremendous speed, always with a leader, and in flocks of from 30 to 100. Every one takes to cover, for the birds are easily frightened. The men on the towers are provided with long slings and whitewashed stones about the size of small hens' eggs. These they discharge with great force. The pigeons, it is said, mistake the stones for hawks and make frantic efforts to avoid them, so the slingers must fling the stones where they do not wish the birds to go; yet when they are flying high, a stone flung beneath them will bring them hurtling downward. Then, with loud cries, the watchers drive them toward the nets. The stone-slinging is the essence of the sport, and it requires strong muscles, a quick eye and a steady aim.

But the netting is also difficult. The man at the ropes is white and nervous; everything now depends upon him. If he releases the weight at the right moment, the net comes down instantly and the birds are bagged. A moment too soon, and they see the danger and avoid it; a moment too late and they pass in safety. It is a matter of an instant, and many more flocks escape than are taken.

The birds are gray and somewhat smaller than the domestic pigeon. They cannot be trained or tamed. The sport is far from being profitable, for even when they have good luck the pigeon catchers never take enough birds to pay for the elaborate preparation they have made. But the moment when the nets whirl down at Cava is a moment of rare excitement.

## "War Time."

A novel memento of the great war is a clock, which is made from munitions—both enemy and allied—collected on the Somme battlefield by a soldier, who afterwards used them for this purpose. The body of the clock is a German shellcase, and German cartridges form the legs. Of the three cartridges on top of the timepiece, the two outside are German, and the one gracing the center French, while the two small ornaments between these are Belgian bullets. The side ornaments are made from Verrey light cases, pierced to admit of a British cartridge projecting through the top. The pendulum consists of five French bullets, and the figures and hands are bent to shape from copper wire taken from German trenches.

To complete the whole, the clock movement inside is also of German make, and, after necessary repairs, is found to be entirely adequate.

## Look to Africa for Food.

The world-wide shortage of food and the certainty that this shortage will continue in modified form for years, to come has roused France to utilize more fully her great colonies just across the Mediterranean. Comprehensive plans are being formed—and started on the way to fulfillment—for refrigerating and packing plants in Algeria, so that the animals need not be shipped across the sea alive. These institutions, too, will give a much readier and steadier market than has been available hitherto, and that is probably all that is needed to quadruple the meat exports of North Africa.

## SAVED BY MIRAGE

How British Army Escaped Defeat in Mesopotamia.

Turkish Commander Saw What He Believed Were Re-enforcements Coming to Aid Enemy and Ordered Retreat.

We went on toward nowhere, intending to make a wide detour and come into old Basra city by the Zobeir gate in the south wall. Eleanor F. Egan writes in the Saturday Evening Post. There was no dust, out there; only hard-packed sand, out of which the fierce hammering sun struck a myriad glistening, eye-baring sparks. But it was beautiful beyond words to describe. We spun along at fifty miles an hour with a cool, clean breeze in our faces. Then just over a slight rise in the sparkling plain I saw my first mirage. It was impossible to believe it was a mirage and, not really the beautiful lake that it seemed—a lake dotted with wooded islands and fringed in places with deep green forests.

I have seen mirages in other deserts in other lands, but I have never seen anything like the Mesopotamian mirage. We drove straight on and it came so close that I was sure I could see a ripple on its surface. Then suddenly it went away off, and where it had been our skidproof tires were humming on the hard-packed sand and I saw that the wooded islands had been created out of nothing but patches of camel thorn and that the trees of the forests were tufts of dry grass not more than six inches high.

Off on the far horizon a camel caravan was swinging slowly along and the camels looked like some mammoth prehistoric beasts, while in another direction what we took to be camels turned out to be a string of diminutive donkeys under pack saddles laden with bales of the desert grass roots that the Arabs use for fuel.

The mirage has played an interesting part in the Mesopotamian campaign. In some places it is practically continuous the year round, and it adds greatly to the difficulties of an army in action. It is seldom mistaken for anything but what it is, of course, but it does curious things to distance and to objects both animate and inanimate. Incidentally it repellers the accurate adjustment of gun ranges almost altogether impossible.

One of the most curious incidents of the whole war happened in connection with a mirage and on the very spot over which I drove that first day out in the desert.

The battle of Shaiba was one of the hardest-fought battles in the whole Mesopotamian campaign and victory for a while was anybody's. It was going very badly for the British, their losses being heavier than they could stand for long. And though the Turks were in overwhelmingly superior numbers it was going very badly for them as well. This the British officer commanding did not realize and he was just on the point of giving an order for retirement, which would have been fatal to the British in Mesopotamia—when to his astonishment he discovered that the Turks were in full retreat! What a moment!

The desert was full of mirage and the Turkish commander—who really ought to have been more familiar with local phenomena—saw approaching from the southeast what looked to him like heavy re-enforcements. It was nothing but a supply and ambulance train magnified and multiplied by the deceptive desert atmosphere! When he ordered an immediate retreat his already unquarried troops stampeded and his demoralized rear guard was bounded and harassed by great bands of nomad Arabs all the way to Khamsisseyh, nearly ninety miles away. He learned the truth a few days later and committed suicide!

## Oliver Goldsmith Memorial.

At Auburn, County Athlone, Ireland, the poet's birthplace, a memorial is being erected to Oliver Goldsmith. It will take the form of the restoration of the church where the poet's father ministered so many years. Oliver Goldsmith was born in 1728 at Ballymahon, County Longford, and two years later his father, Charles Goldsmith, became rector of Kilkenny West and settled in Lissoy, which is now known as Auburn. It is a village on the road between Athlone and Ballymahon. Auburn of Goldsmith's "Deserted Village," in some degrees represents Lissoy, and the story of an old eviction by General Napier was probably in Goldsmith's mind when he wrote the poem, although it is intended to apply to England.

## Died at Post of Duty.

During the storms the early part of the year, which mariners say were the severest known on the coast, the United States navy suffered the loss of the big ocean-going tug Cherokee. This vessel was manned entirely by members of the naval reserve. Caught in a terrific sea the tug foundered and was lost. It was at this time on an important duty for the Washington navy yard to get guns to an Atlantic fort. Among the men who met a heroic death at this time was a lieutenant (junior grade), E. D. Newell, U. S. N. R. F., commanding officer.

## Grand Army of Ministers.

Over 60,000 ministers of the Gospel of various denominations are with the allies in France. About 20,000 are with the Red Cross; the rest are in the ranks.—People's Home Journal.

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—Miss Ann Malby, of Washington, is the guest of Mrs. A. S. Best.

—Regular meeting of Amity Lodge No. 40, F. and A. M., at 8:00 p. m. to-day.

—Miss Maude F. McGinnis and Pearl Plummer, of Paris, are guests of Miss Lula Thomas.

—Miss Florence Vimont has returned after a week's visit to her sister, Mrs. W. A. Munsing, at Maysville.

—Mr. J. W. Boulden returned to his home at Maysville, Friday, after spending several days with his niece, Mrs. A. S. Best.

—Mr. W. M. Vimon, of Maysville, was the guest of his mother and sister, Mrs. Martha Vimont, and Miss Florence Vimont, Saturday and Sunday.

—Miss Mamie Collins has resigned her position as relief operator in the local exchange of the Home Telephone Co. She is succeeded by Miss Katie Robertson.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kerr and daughter, Miss Hazel Kerr, have returned from a visit to Mrs. Margaret Baldwin, in Maysville.

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—Rev. W. O. Shoemaker, of Albion, Ill., preached at the Presbyterian church, Sunday morning, and conducted union services at the same place in the evening. He was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Dailey while here.

—The home of John Baker, colored, was entirely destroyed by fire about seven a. m. Friday. No insurance, some little household goods were saved. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue in the kitchen.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Miller were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Renick, at Lexington, Thursday and Friday. They were accompanied home by their sons, Messrs. Wm. and Hart Miller, who were guests at the Renick home for several days.

—Col. C. M. Best, Mr. Charles B. Layson, Jefferson V. Layson, Mrs. M. Layson, Zed Layson, Nancy Layson, Pauline Jones, Mrs. John Marr, Misses Marguerite Layson and Jane Marr, John Marr, Wm. Marr and A. C. Best compose a Millersburg party sojourning at Crab Orchard Springs.

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## DEATHS.

## GRAVELL.

—Lillian, the one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hart Gravel, died yesterday morning at the home of her parents, on the John Marr place near Paris, after a short illness of whooping cough. The funeral will take place at the family home this morning, with burial following in the Millersburg Cemetery.

## WELCH.

—Mrs. Carolyn Welch, aged 72, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Fuhrman, yesterday morning at eight o'clock, of the infirmities of old age. Mrs. Welch is survived by five children, Mrs. J. H. Fuhrman, Mrs. John Chism, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Seattle, Wash.; Mr. John Welch, Montana, and Mr. Wm. Welch, of Bourbon county.

The funeral services will be held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fuhrman.

## CAMPBELL.

—Mrs. Margaret Campbell, aged eighty-five, died at her home in Carlisle, Saturday. Mrs. Campbell was one of the oldest residents of Nicholas county. She was a native of Bourbon county, and moved to Nicholas county in 1836. She was a daughter of the late Abraham Banta. She was the mother of Mrs. Thos. I. Davis, and A. B. Campbell, both of Winchester; Wm. Preston Campbell, of Frankfort, and Claude M. Campbell, of Richmond, Va. The funeral was held at Carlisle yesterday, followed by interment in the Carlisle Cemetery.

## MATHERS.

—In our issue of last Friday we noted the death in Carlisle of Mrs. Willis M. Mathers, mother of Dr. Harry Mathers, of Paris. The passing away of this excellent woman leaves a void in the family circle that cannot be filled until there is a happy reunion of all in the other world. She was a woman of intellectual attainments, a true example of Christian motherhood. The Carlisle Mercury pays the following tribute to Mrs. Mathers:

"Mrs. Maria Mastin Mathers, wife of W. M. Mathers, of this city, died at her home on College Hill, Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, following a protracted illness from Bright's disease. Funeral services were held at the late residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and were conducted by the Rev. W. P. Crouch, pastor of the Carlisle Christian church. Interment took place in the Carlisle Cemetery. The departed had been in declining health for several years, but her condition did not become serious until about a week ago, when it was apparent that the end was near. Mrs. Mathers more than forty-two years ago was Miss Maria Mastin, daughter of Thomas and Minerva Mastin, who were natives of this county; she was born in March, 1849, and was therefore 69 years of age. Having lived her entire life in this community our people will remember her as a woman who lived for those who loved her and her memory will abide with her family and friends a benediction and a blessing. She was true to the obligations of her church—the Christian church—and she was true to the obligations of friendship, and was a woman of broad sympathies, sympathies as tender and as generous as her conception of her duty to humanity. Besides her husband she is survived by two sons, Dr. Harry Mathers, of Paris, and Mr. Albert Mathers, of Pittsburg, Pa. Dr. Mathers was with his mother when the end came, but Albert did not reach here until the evening following her death. The

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large number of citizens attending the funeral and the beautiful floral designs attest the popularity of this woman who has passed from our mortal vision forever.

## McCARTHY.

—After a lingering illness of many weeks, due partly to the after-effects of a nervous shock sustained in an automobile accident near Lexington, some time ago, Miss Mary Ann McCarthy, aged seventy-two, died at her residence on Walker avenue, at four o'clock, yesterday morning. Miss McCarthy had been a resident of Paris all her life, and died within a short distance of the old home place where she spent her younger days.

Miss McCarthy was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, who were pioneer residents of Paris, residing for many years on what is now Williams street. She was the eldest of a large family of children, and after the death of Mrs. McCarthy became in truth "the elder sister and the guardian of the household." She was a sister of the late Mr. P. I. McCarthy and Mr. Charles McCarthy, both of whom preceded her to the grave many years ago. Miss McCarthy early in life developed a keen business talent and engaged in the book and stationery business in Paris, which she successfully conducted until her retirement a few years ago, selling out the business to the firm now operating as the Paris Book Company. She was a woman of decidedly keen intellect, rare business ability, and one whose human side was best known to those who knew her best. She had a kindly nature, which manifested itself on many occasions in acts of unselfish devotion and kindness, and made the world better for having been a wholesome part of it. Her devotion to her younger brothers and sisters was always held up to the boys and girls of her neighborhood as an example of devotion to duty and a sinking of self in the aim to see to their welfare. She was faithful in every walk of life, and her reward is sure.

Miss McCarthy is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Agnes McCarthy Lawson, of San Francisco, Calif., and Miss Julia McCarthy, of this city; one nephew, Mr. John J. McCarthy, and one niece, Mrs. George McWilliams, of Paris, and the following nephews and nieces residing elsewhere, all children of her brother, Mr. P. I. McCarthy: Chas. McCarthy and Frank McCarthy, both of Camp Zachary Taylor; Justin McCarthy, at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station, and Misses Mary and Margaret McCarthy, of Lexington.

The funeral will be held at the Church of the Annunciation, in this city, at nine o'clock to-morrow (Wednesday) morning, with services conducted by Rev. Father Eugene DeBruyn. The burial will follow on the family lot in the Catholic Cemetery.

## NEW WATER DAM POSSIBILITY.

It is now believed that the vexatious problem of insuring the city of Paris against a threatened shortage of water supply will soon be settled, if plans now under way by the interested parties are brought to fulfillment.

For several months the old mill dam across Stoner Creek, at the point of the Paris Milling Company, which serves to back up the water which is pumped from the pumping station for the city of Paris, has been falling into a state of bad repair, and, in fact, almost to the point of giving way. Owing to a dispute as to ownership of the dam, and responsibility for repairing it, it has been impossible to get the interested parties together. They are the City of Paris, the Louisville &amp; Nashville Railroad Company, the Paris Water Company and the Paris Milling Company. No agreement could be reached by any of their representatives.

Quite recently plans have been evolved by the City of Paris, through Councilman John Merringer, of the City Council, and Mayor E. B. January, looking to the building of a large dam at a point close to the L. &amp; N. railroad bridge near the plant of the Paris Ice Manufacturing Co. This is about a half-mile from the old dam, and is said to be a splendid place for such a structure. Attorney John J. Williams has been employed by the

special committee to assist the legal department of the city in the matter. Conferences will be held in the very near future between representatives of the interest involved, with the prospect of having the dam completed before the coming of winter.

## RELIGIOUS.

—Evangelist E. O. Hobbs has gone to Southern Kentucky to hold a revival meeting. The meeting he has been conducting at Lair closed last week.

—The Mission Circle of the Paris Christian church will hold their regular meeting in the church parlors this (Tuesday) afternoon at three o'clock. The Circle will meet Thursday in the Red Cross Sewing rooms.

—Eld. Frank Tindler, Jr., son of Rev. F. M. Tindler, pastor of the North Middletown Christian church, is conducting a revival meeting at Hubble, Ky. Rev. Tindler will take up Y. M. C. A. work at Camp Zachary Taylor about Sept. 1.

—Rev. Owens, of Wilmore, filled his regular appointment at Centerville Methodist church Sunday morning and night.

—Rev. G. W. Tevis, of Cincinnati, evangelist, will begin a union gospel tent meeting in this city, beginning to-morrow (Wednesday) night, at eight o'clock. The tent for the purpose has been erected on the Glen-

denin lot on Pinecrest Avenue, (the old Bourbon College grounds.) Everybody invited to attend.

## MATRIMONIAL.

## WORTHINGTON—TILLET.

—A marriage license was issued in Lexington, Saturday afternoon, to George Tillet and Miss Zaglida May Worthington, both of Paris. They were married in Lexington. The groom is employed as a car repairer on the Louisville and Nashville at this point.

## GROWING TOBACCO IN CITY.

Perhaps one of the most advanced crops of tobacco in this county is

that which is being grown on a lot on High street, in this city, by Cassius Crow. It is about half-an-acre, and stands as high as a man's head. The tobacco, which is now being cut, is of an excellent quality. Mr. James McClure is growing a fine crop of tobacco in a large lot in the rear of his residence, facing on Scott avenue. The weed is of an excellent quality, and will soon be ready for the barn.

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